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SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, May 5 (UP).--

Political circles now pro-

phesy that the Government

will be "let off with a cau-

tion" when the withdrawal

from Norway is debated in

the Commons during the

coming week, despite the

storm of criticism which

heat on Mr. Chamberlain's

head from within his own

camp as well as the Opposi-

In a statement last Friday Sir

John Simon said that there was

no division in the Cabinet when

the decision was taken to with-

draw from Namsos—a statement

which is believed to have put the

ground from under the feet of

those critics planning to split the

Government by alleging that Mr.

Chamberlain and the majority of

the Cabinet restrained Mr.

Churchill and the Navy from

attacking Trondheim at the out-

The statement also prevents any

attempt to use Mr. Churchill as the

spearhead of a new war policy or

Churchill Defended

The "Sunday Despatch" to-day took

the extraordinary course of devoting

its main news positions to an editorial

Fascist Spokesman Realisation Predicts Napoleonic

MAY

MONDAY,

REMARKABLE HAPPENINGS WILL SHAKE THE PILLARS OF THE WORLD — Boast

No. 10141

ROME, MAY 5 (REUTER).-DETAILS HAVE REACHED HERE OF AN ORGANISED ANTI-ALLIED DEMONSTRATION IN MILAN OVER THE WEEK-END BY ABOUT 100 STUDENTS WHO MARCH THROUGH THE STREETS SHOUTING "LONG LIVE GERMANY" AND "DEATH TO BRITAIN AND FRANCE."

They chalked on the walls: "We want Hitler in London and Mussolini in Paris."

NOT VERY PLAUSIBLE Futility Of Nazi Propaganda

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .-"For some weeks now examples have been given of the various ways in which the Nazis are trying to put their propaganda across," said a B.B.C. commentator yesterday.

"These examples have shown that the Nazi effort has sometimes been the 'lie direct', sometimes the 'lie indirect' and sometimes, a quick change of face. The latter was used when he Nazis took over the Alliedwar claims and announced that they were going to free Europe from terror and so on."

Continuing, the commentator said that last week Ribbentrop defended the invasion of Norway on the same grounds which Germany used to defend her use of poison gas in the last war, i.e. that Britain was about to do the same thing.

Ribbentrop's Failure If Ribbentrop had studied world reaction after his speech ha sceptical and doubtful the world was with this matter. about a German Minister's pledges.

Ribbentrop gave his story of how the campaign in Norway had started. The fact that the campaign had started was about the only true thing Germany, this would still be less than he did mention.

Army had finished its "mighty task." That was the most interesting effort of Nazi propaganda for the month. It was led up to by statements destroyer at Narvik.

The Bigger, The Better As a prelude, Dr. Goebbels last week wiped out the British fleet. true now.

Hitler's lie was now a bigger one than it was when he uttered it. But that probably pleased him for Reich has its own problems, especially ists" to spend the summer within the casualties were only five. does not "Mein Kampf" say some- Poland.

thing about "the bigger the lie the better"? Nazi propaganda had two objects

-to unite the Germans and disunite the Allies on the home front. Has it united the Germans?

Various newspapers complain about the number of people trying to get food by devious means. The German radio was angry about people who read their newspapers from the "wrong end and mutter 'if only we were allowed to talk." The Norwegian campaign had been

second page news in all the papers, speech on Thursday was one such as Gummarn, near Lycksele in no German official had dared to make since the Nazis came into North Sweden, where they have

speech will be examined and judged, put them out of Norway owing to

they have sunk one British hattin- beifft and well. has been issued by the Admiralty. Int'Narvik.

INVASION PREDICTED

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

British Isles.

would be finally realised through enormously improved technical means now at the disposal of Germany and added that the "Italian people will emerge from the present war greater and more powerful than ever

FOR NAZIS

Insufficient To Be Of Great Benefit

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).— The question on many lips to-day for the rest of their lives." is how much economic help can Russia give Germany. An probably felt saddened to find how article in the "Economist" deals

Hitler, however, then announced It could only make up a small part that it had ended and the German of the trade Germany has lost through the Allied blockade.

Needs Experts Herself With regard to German help to

about how the world approved of the Russia, the paper says that a great Nazl invasion, how the Norwegians many German technical experts were collaborating and how the used to work in Russia but to-day British had not sunk a single Germany needs experts for home pro-

home and the recent Leipzig Fair showed foreign buyers that little is That was not true then and it is not being produced in Germany to-day except armaments.

Germany cannot give badly-needed

Hunter Men

Nazis Hand Over Ratings To Swede Authorities

ter).—Forty-three ratings of the Here at home the Prime Minister's destroyer Hunter have reached been interned.

In the House of Commons this As the Germans are said to have food shortage, it is likely that their There is no confirmation in London

after by the villagers of Gummarn, Foreign Affairs have reached a basic

in operations at Namsos. This denial lieved to be still held by the Germans It is understood that there is no

ROME, May, 5 (UP). - Signor Giovanni Ansaldo, who is generally regarded as being the mouthpiece of the Italian Foreign Office, told his soldier listeners in a nation-wide radio broadcast to-day that he believed Germany would invade the

The paper points out that the whole of Russia exports less than 20 per cent, of Germany's normal needs, so that if Russia sent everything to one-fifth of Germany's requirements.

duction and cannot spare large

German machinery too is needed at

help to Russia's railways, for the fused to allow 2,000 German "tour-wounded while the

Interned

STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reu-

LONDON, May & (Reuter).-There their chief trouble being shortage of agreement regarding the Tientsin is no truth in the German claim that clothes. All of them are reported to Issue, especially "the problems of ship and cruiser of the York class Two officers of the Hunter are be- 'ransfer of silver."

He predicted that the coup dreamed of by Napoleon;

is to say, the invasion of England," he declared: He also said he expected the

Allies to be defeated in Norway. "They withdrew from Namsos and Andalsnes in eight days, but that is time enough for all Allied soldiers who survived, to have a memory impressed upon them which will last

Napoleon's Dream ROME, May 5 (Reuter) .--

"Napoleon's attempt to invade England will certainly and soon be attempted by Germans in this war," declared Signor Ansaldo, Editor of Count Ciano's newspaper "Il Telegrafo," in a weekly broadcast to Italian troops. "We have already seen remark-

able happenings. We shall see even more remarkable ones which will shake the pillars of the world," he concluded.

"No" To Nazi Tourists

Yugo-Slavia Refuses To Take Any Chances

BELGRADE, May 5 (Reuter).--! Yugo-Slavia is reported to have re-

told the German authtorities that only forces in southern Norway.

warned against keeping inflammable wegian positions there have failed. muterials in their homes. It has been A German detachment south-east suggested that people who are not of Storen have been defeated. Over obliged to remain in the city should 100 Germans were killed.

FT10 No Tientsin Agreement

Japanese Newspaper Report Denied

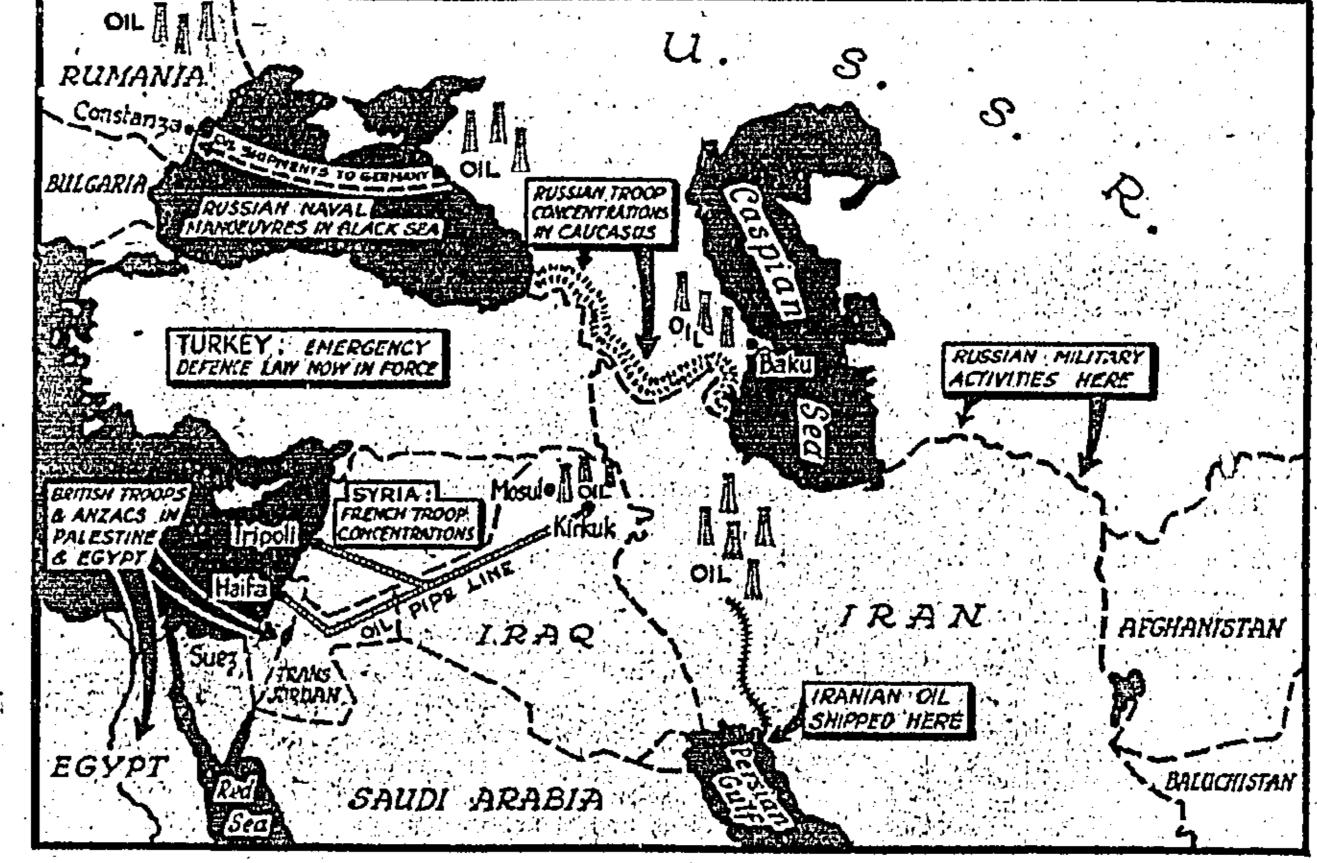
LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-British authorities will try to get Shimbun" that Sir Robert Craigie, the middle of the town.
them sent home to England. the British Ambassador to Japan, the middle of the town. The men are being well-looked and the Japanese Vice-Minister of the maintenance of order and the

truth in the report.

MAP of the NEAR EAST

THIS A THIS Middle East at a glance. The oilfields, are being watched carefully.

map shows of this area make it of vital importance you the situation in the Near and | to the belligerents. Developments there



"We would all like to presume that we will see just that—that is to say the invasion of Eng-SMASH WAY TO FREEDOM

STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter).—The Norwegian troops in the Rocros sector are reported to be planning to break through a fast closing German cordon to join the Allied troops in northern Norway.

An official statement that the fighting would continue in the north has partly dissipated the bitter disappointment felt at the orders given to retire in the Roeros sector, following the Allied evacuation in southern Norway.

The Norwegian General Headquarters is now established in

Roeros were intact when the "Cense Fire" order was given; During the latest operations, about 300 German soldiers were driven back by 120 Norwegians.

Guerilla Warfare

Henceforth only guerilla warfare Valley have decided to fight on and Residents of Belgrade, have been all the German efforts to take Nor- Warship.

> Rocrès Falls SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" ROEROS, May 5 (UP).-Rocros, the last Allied stronghold in central

Norway has fallen to the German Evacuation of the city by the Allied Refugees From Norway forces was followed this morning by the appearance and entry into the town of 25 German soldiers who rode

motor cycles. a single shot. internment will be lifted and the of the report in the "Nichi Nichi bombing plane dropped six bombs in Earlier this morning a German

Church-Goors Bombod Crowds of people were going to; church at the time of the raid, and ikilled or injured, 🦠

The horror of the attack is inten-PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

issued by the Air Ministry includes a Hongkong-born man.

War's Biggest Casualty List The new casualty list is the biggest of the war to date, and

includes 119 names. Killed in action, seven; pre-

Among the list of missing is Squadron Leader Kenneth Doran, the first British air acc of the war, , who led the famous Kiel raid the day after Britain had declared war on Germany.

Professor Koht and M. Ljung-

berg went to the Norwegian

ferences lasting several hours

took place with the Norwegian

It is understood that the Norwegian

Foreign Minister's Broadcast

Professor Koht, broadcasting this

From London, he will go to Paris

Professor Koht claimed that Nor-

PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

Minister in London.

Legation in London where con-

CASUALTY LIST LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .-The latest R.A.F. casualty list

He is Sergeant J. L. Hawken, who had already won the Distinguished Flying Medal for gallantry.

********* the north and Norwegian mobilisation remains in force. Secret N. Sea Crossing British

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—Professor Koht, the The Germans had 35 killed and Norwegian Foreign Minister, and M. Ljungberg, Norwegian Defence Minister, who are in London to The Government is said to have can be expected from the Norwegian confer with the British Government, are believed to have women and children under 15 would The Norwegian troops in the Gau travelled from Norway to a Scottish port in a British

They occupied Rocros without firing Three Norwegian vessers have reached ports in North Scotland. wegian and British refugees and

for a few days "to discuss how we The skipper of a Norwegian fishing best can get help against the forces boat, who believes that his was the of violence," it is not yet known whether any were last vessel to escape from Alesund. said that German planes bombed and and then home again to fight. machine-gunned people who were sified by the fact that there is not a fleeing from the town in small open way's neutrality had been "truly im-PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

vice, 18; died on active service,

Warship

The journey was kept a close secret until several hours after their arrival in London.

Land In England

Minister and Sir Cecil Dormer, the British Minister to Norway, will see LONDON, May 5 (Reuter). Lord Hallfax and possibly other British Ministers on Monday. Those on board include Norevening, said that he was in London several women and children.

viously reported missing, now presumed killed in action, seven; missing 52; killed on active ser-

"Any attempt to saddle M. Churchill with the blame for Norway now would mean a serious weakening of our war effort," the paper says. It adds that the new powers conerred on Mr. Churchill with his

move for a new Cabinet.

defence of Mr. Churchill.

appointment on April 3-to preside over a Committee of Service Ministers-were "held up" and that his powers have been given "definite

Government's Case LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).--While everything still depends upon the strength of the case which the Government will present to the House of Commons on Tuesday, two new considerations are tending to swing the situation in their favour, states Reuter's Lobby Correspondent.

Sir John Simon's statement on Friday that there were no divisions In the Cabinet in Norway has disposed of one of the hopes of the more advanced of the Government's erities. PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

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CANON Arthur, Sinker, former rector of Bermondsey, S.E., who died recently at Norwich, once calculated waist in snow, struggled on again. that a woman married twenty years, with a family of six:

Kissed the family 45,000 timesone kiss per head per day. Peeled 87,600 potatoes.

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Canon Sinker, known as "the plain- carpet that the women had torn up dealing parson," started an unusual for covering. Others, who had been employment scheme. He asked people to a schoolhouse, were wearing to tell him of any odd jobs they women's clothes; others had torn up wanted done-and had the work done their rubber lifebells and made

He provided the men, who were Stayed in A School paid 25s, a week and their insurance, from voluntary contributions. His "In the willage we stayed in a to restore Danzig and the Corridor. view was that the occupation and school, and a cook collected, food All they can have is economic access. The Jewish Polish Capt. Max payment were better for the men than from the villagers which he made to the sea." just accepting unemployment pay.

Southwork Cathedral in 1933 and two British destroyers in the Flord, be sent to the United States and then recalled that he was assigned in 1938 Norwich Cathedral in 1937, he re- and we heard the Warspite open fire. we should declare it valueless and to protect the German Consulate signed last November through ill- Lieutenant Heppell borrowed a bont start another monetary system. against anti-Nazi demonstrators.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. "Swim For It, Boys," Captain Said As He Died

THE INDO-CHINA STEAM DRAWATIC STORY OF HARDY'S ADVENTURES

CAPTAIN Warburton-Lee, mortally wounded, gave his last order on board the destroyer Hardy, grounded on the shore of Narvik Fiord.

"Swim for it, boys," he said. "Every man for himself. Good luck." The boys swam through the ice-cold water to the shore 100 yards away.

They would not leave their captain. One of them swam with him to the beach.

"Is everyone all right?" he gasped, and died. That story was told when sixty Hardy survivors arrived in London to be The Transfer Books of the Com- | cheered by a welcoming British crowd and to be received by First Lord Winston

In all 130 survivors reached to contact the fleet, but came back; "We Were Thankful" JARDINE, MATHESON & Britain. The London conting-disappointed. ent, in a strange assortment of clothes-Norwegian jumpers, ski caps, women's clothing-told of the captain's dying heroism and their escapes on the hillside of

the Norwegian flord. Petty-Officer E. Bangley, of Saint Jude Cottages, Plymouth, one of the sixty, told this story of the flord

"On that Tuesday night the pilot who had been guiding us into the ing the Report of the General famous "Shall we go in?" message with rifles. Agents, together with a statement told shortly afterwards that we would of Accounts for the year ended the be going into action at about 1.30

"We came into the flord. There was a blinding snowstorm, and navigation was tricky. Visibility was

> "In fact, we came near to giving the whole game away—we saw two misty outlines and had half a mind to open fire. Had we done so, the Germans would have been warned of our presence, for those outlines were two huge rocks.

we sighted enemy ships and loosed the nearest. torpedoes. Then our gunner officer, "We were freezing cold. The water his left eye. "I'm going to dis-

lof one of them.

"Five of our torpedoes found their It was warmer to go half-naked. nark-another set fire-to a jetty. "The Germans thought it was an was a house. We ploughed our way pom-pom guns.

choser shells rained on us like fire-"We altered course and came in looking blonde Norwegian girl, came allowed on the Wharves or other for another run. A shore battery back and did all they could for us, age for the hand before we set out

"We were heading out of the har- house, and it only had five rooms. told the Captain that one German destroyer still had a gun in action, and pleaded to be allowed to go in No labour other than that and have another smack at them. "Once more we altered course.

Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co. Ltd. The snowstorm was worse than ever, and the visibility no more than seventy yards. Then all our ships, the Wharves or other premises of with us leading, blazed away at the Germans and they returned fire. "Every minute it seemed to get

worse. When our boiler-room was godown to consignees' craft and/ hit we were really out of action as or lorry by the Wharf Company at all our steam was going to waste. half the Company's Tariff rate for We went aground on the beach, still "The fore gun was firing on the

lenemy as we went towards the "Although Captain Warburton-

Lee was dying he was following the progress of the battle. Leading Scaman Dove, at No. 4 gun, was still harassing the enemy, and at the sound of it the Captain smiled. 'I shall never forget No. 4 gun as long as I live, he said.

"There were no beats to bring him ashore. He was put gently on a patent cane stretcher and somebody swam in the water to bring it ashore He died there, with shrapnel and Secretary and Manager. shells still exploding around him. "Our landing was a terrible business. Only one boat looked undamaged, but when it was lowered we found it had been holed by a splinter. It overturned, tipping us all into the water. "I swam about in the freezing

water for 100 yards and got on to the beach. "I crawled on my stomach over half a mile of mud, then, up to my

"We found a Norwegian house some distance away, and when we sald we were English were stripped and put to bed. A few hours later the woman told us in alarm that we ought to get along, and we walked Darned 10,400 socks and stock- through the snow fifteen miles to Balangen.

"A queer sight we must have made. Buttered 175,200 slices of bread. | Some were naked except for pieces of socks with them.

linto meals.

from the Norwegians and went out | So far Mr. Stokes, stocky, smiling United Press.

launch on a beach, in perfect order, derful He took charge of it, went out and met H.M.S. Ivanhoe and flashed with a torch.

"They sent boats to the pier to pick us up, and apparently while we were on our way to the destroyer some Germans, who had gone up prepared bread and butter. That village and were taken prisoner."

"It must have been at this time Captain, denied the early reports that out of the bottom-half of them. Another member of the shin's knickers.'

company said:

ship and the shore, helping those tell us. who could not swim.

with the water so cold, Tore Off Clothes

"We got ashore, about 170 of us. deck. Seventeen had been killed in the ... Take the boats and get ashore, fight, and another two were miss-

in sight, the usual wooden houses

Storers and Consignees of Cargo fired a salvo straight across the bows had been ley. Most of the men had appoint you all," he said. discarded most of their clothing to "I didn't get this wound in action. "At this moment our torpedoes swim ashore, and many more, who I collected it in a friendly fight with reached their mark. We saw the ex- had arrived with some clothes on a chum on the way home." landed because they were so ley cold. "Two hundred yards away there

> air raid, and opened fire with their through nearly six-foot deep of snow "Then they fired on us, and pink empty when the battle started. "But soon the woman of the house though the pain must have been terand her daughter, a typically good- rible.

"Then he found a German return for them, for they were won-

"The girl half undressed—that is she took off her cont, her jumper, her shoes and stockings, and gave them to those of us who needed clouting most. "They made us ten and coffee and

into the mountains, came to the was all there was to cat or drink there, but they gave us all they had, and we were thankful for it. Leading Telegraphist B. J. Rees, "Men could be seen putting on silk

flord told our captain that the Ger- the man who sent the dramatic slips, and trying to pin them between "Shall I go in?" message from the the legs in order to make trousers at Noon, for the purpose of receiv- that Captain Warburton-Lee sent his they had got ashore in boats and myself, was clad in a grey pullover

The sailor told how the survivors went on to Ballengen. "Our torpedo officer, Lieutenant | "Fifty British sailors, off the mer-

Heppell, was a real hero. He saved chant ships at Narvik, also found at least five men by swimming back- their way to Ballengen. They had wards and forwards between the the story of a German gentleman to "They with 150 other British sea-

"How he stuck it, I don't know, men, had been imprisoned on the German whaling factory. When the buttle started the German captain of the ship brought them all out on he told us," said one of the seamen.

"He was a gentleman. And, by the way, he had been interned in Eng-"We could see about a dozen houses land in the last war!" Stoker A. Harris, one of the party, "At the mouth of Narvik harbour there are up there. We all made for was immediately surrounded and asked to explain a large plaster over

> Petty Officer Kny told the story of Able Seaman Balley, who swam

off by a shell. "Bailey was a hero. I saw his hand—only the thumb was left. Yet to it and found it had been left he never said a word. He swam to the beach without asking for aid, al-

ashore after his hand had been blown

"We made a rough kind of band-There were eighty of us in that one on the fifteen miles trek to the village up the flord."

NORWEGIANS IN



NOR VEGIAN officers who have arrived in England to consult with Military Intelligence officers before returning to Norway, seen walking in a London street in battle dress.

Mr. STOKES (M.P. Soc.) IS

PEACE by negotiation with Hitler and the present German Government is the policy of Mr. R. R. Stokes, M.P. for Ipswich. Recently he gave the reasons for the faith that is in him to 400 of his constituents. would negotlate with the and genial, had his audience with

form of the Ipswich Public Hall. his firm, and is a Socialist.

guarantee of peace can be worth union? tuppence if every one remains "Some people," he said, "think we

are going to restore Poland to the state she was in before the war. That is impossible. It is impossible

devil;" he declared from the plat- him. They applauded. But they became silent as he went on: Mr. Stokes is managing director of | "What about the British Navy? It

the famous engineering firm of Ran- would be a brave man who would somes and Rapier, employers of 1,100 suggest sinking the British Navy. Ipswich citizens. He travelled for Why not pool the navies of Europe against the possible depredations of Mr. Stokes wants general disarm- Japan and America, and demand ament, because, as he explains, "no they should come into a free trade "Then we could sink all the naval

ships in the middle of the Atlantic." There was no applause for that.

SUICIDE IN NEW YORK New York, May 4.

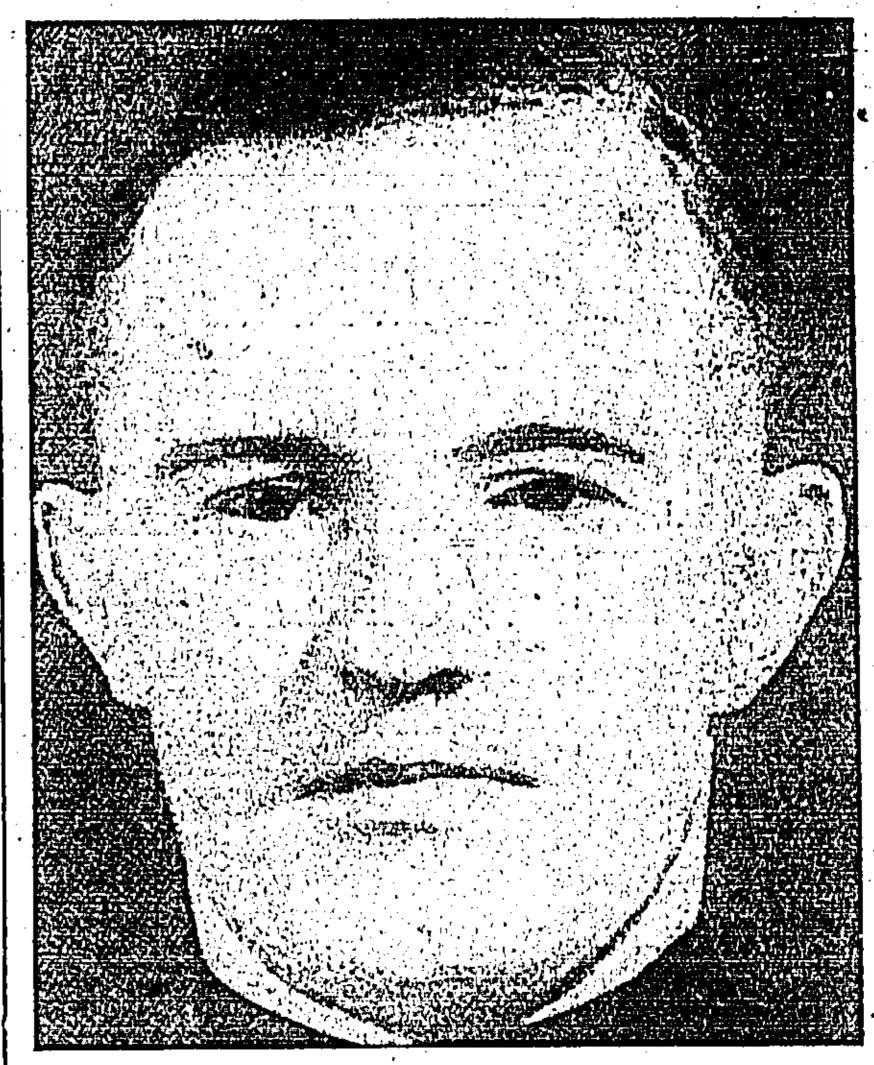
Finklestein committed suicide by Mr. Stokes also thinks we should shooting to-day. He was involved in Appointed Canon Residentiary of "On Friday we heard there were return to free trade. All gold should a rail bond irregularity. It will be

Picture

IT'S Lord Haw-Haw, the Englishman who betrays his country for £15 a week broadcasting anti-British propaganda from Germany every evening.

He is William Joyce, formerly a British Fascist, who went to Germany before the war to work for Goebbels.

The scar on his right cheek was caused by a razor attack in Lambeth in 1924.



Got Jimmy, 13, His Long

rescue it.

Books For Britons In Enemy Camps

Britons in enemy hands will be able to continue their education -and even sit. for professional examinations with the help of the newly instituted Red Cross educational book scheme for British prisoners of war and civilian internees.

Books on a wide range of subjects, from accountancy to zoology, will be available, and will be sent to prisoners who apply on the forms now being provided. It is hoped that each camp will

form a library to which prisoners

will give their books when they

have finished with them. The Earl of Clarendon is chairman of the committee, which points out that the scheme is supported by voluntary contributions.

CANADA MADE BIG PART OF

SLEDGES used by the British Army in Norway have been modelled on the sledge used by Scott on his Polar expeditions. Equipment has been designed by experts like Mr. F. S. Smythe, the Everest mountaineer, and Mr. Ernest Shackleton, son of the late Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Polar explorer.

All the equipment is British made -a great deal of it in Canada-and the speed with which the supplies have come through creates an Army

This was disclosed by Mr. Leslie Burgin, the Minister of Supply, when the B.E.F. Norweglan equipment was the Ministry had to cope with. displayed at his Ministry.

The equipment—it includes sleeping jackets for a temperature of 22 degrees below zero, ammunition boxes with quick release fasteners. and camouflage tunics-was piled on the sledge that accompanied Scott on his expeditions..

"Absolute Secreev"

Mr. Burgin sald: in Norway was got together in abso- thing from specially lined overcoats. lute secreey, and in spite of appall- mittens, goggles, footless stockings to ing weather conditions in less than a simmunition boxes, cooking stoves

"I do not think any! force has two seconds." been so splendidly equipped in so short a time.

Trousers THIRTEEN - YEAR - OLD

Jimmy Queen arrived at his home in Cow-lane, Wareham. Dorset, in man-size trousers and | shoes. Which calls for some explanation.

Jimmy, a pupil at South Dorset Technical College, saw a dog struggling in Weymouth Harbour. Men and boys were trying to

Ladder Sank

Jimmy tied a rope round his waist

and started to crawl along a ladder. laid across the mud. But the ladder sank under him, and Jimmy, fingers numbed, had to

be hauled back. The dog was drowned. Jimmy was taken to a cafe and given a hot meal.

An ambulance driver produced some trousers for him and somebody fixed him up with a pair of shoes. several sizes too big.

"I'm sorry about the dog," he said. "He was a nice little beggar."

--h. O'REILLY

read a headline in the train-It sounded as remote as heaven, And echoed like a strange refrain: "O'Reilly 66 for 7."

And I forgot the black-out night, Ceased shivering in the censored · weather. And thought of cheerful men in

Chasing a smallish bit of leather. And Adolf seemed a wee bit thin. I thought, "He's not so blinking-

At least, he cannot make 'em spin Like Mister William J. O'Reilly."

Mr. Burgin spoke of the difficulties

Eight Mon Per Sledge

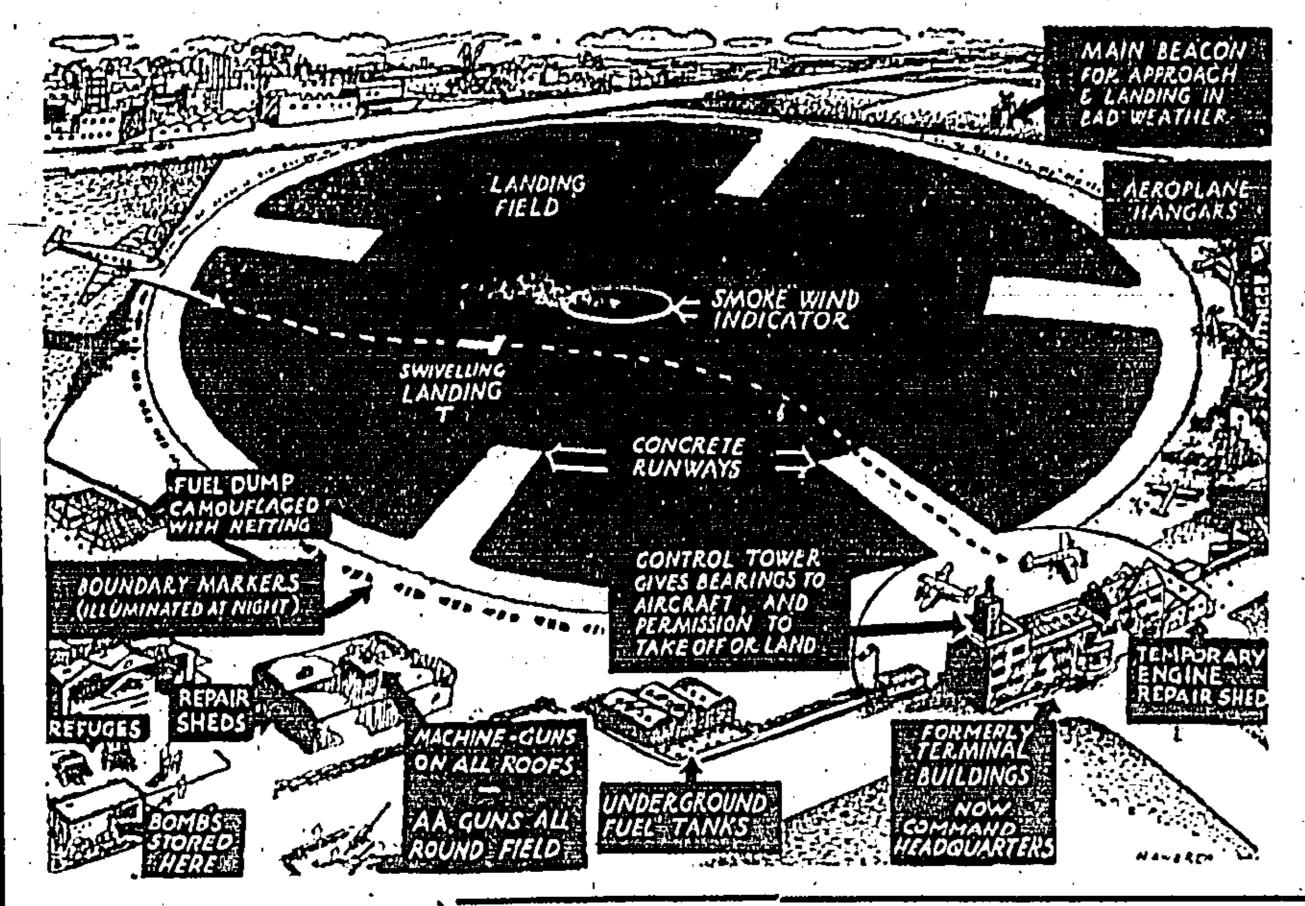
"We did not expect British manufacturers to have a great deal of material in stock. So special manufacturers were called in and they collaborated with the British manu-Incturers.

"Soon we were able to produce suitable equipment and suitable "All the equipment for the B.E.F. materials. We have produced everyand special rifle-holders enabling a man to produce his rifle and fire in

Eight merr will be attached to each "Regular production is now pro- sledge and four will sleep in each of. ceeding both in this country and in the two tents provided. The aledge can be loaded in a few minutes...

AERODROME BOMBED

These are the vital targets our British airmen go for



TUMBER one objective of

17 British bombers in Scan-

dinavia are the aerodromes-

notably at Stavanger, Nor-

way, and Aalborg, Denmark

---which have been taken over

How blg is an aerodrome? What

are the vital points a raiding bomb-

ing squadron must alm for to put

the aerodrome out of action? Why

is it necessary to make repeated

The whole air field may cover

several square miles of ground.

Stavanger is particularly large,

hence the need for repeated raids

to cause sufficient damage to prevent neroplanes from using at least

In bombing an aerodrome, how-

ever there are several key-points

which, if once hit by bombs, render'

the whole field useless. Glance

now at Haworth's sketch, showing the typical layout of a big nero-

bomb craters it takes days to re-

pair them. In the interval it is

unlikely that any aircraft would be

What other key-points are there?

Hangars full of valuable bombers

and fighters; the radio control

towers-nerve centre of the whole aerodrome-which guide 'planes

back to the base; the main build-

ings housing the headquarters staff

The fuel storage tanks, of course,

are an obvious target, but these

are usually hidden below ground.

Bomb and ammunition stores are

protected by the latest arts of

Spotting the Rank

CAPTAIN

the highest of a junior officer.

A Captain acts as a Troop

Commander in the cavalry

and a Company Commander

in the Infantry. In the Royal

generally

Artillery he is

second in com-

mand of a bat-

the present-day

Army, however,

are almost en-

tirely adminis-

trative, though

in the absence

of his Company.

Commander he

assumes com-

sible for such.

matters as the

issue of cloth-

ing and pay,

and keeping company ac-

counts and for recreation and

from the Latin "Caput"-

years, service; £586 after 1

The word Captain comes

Pay: £540 a year after 8

and £668 after 14

He is respon-

unit.

head.

His duties in

This rank is regarded as

and precious maps and plans.

one section of the field.

able to take off.

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by the Nazis.

raids?

Goebbels Isn't So Smart With His Propaganda

TOR years the Germans have proclaimed the excellence of their propaganda technique. But now it seems that they are not as smart as they thought they were.

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

You would have thought, for instance, that they would have preferred to gloss over the loss of the Graf Spee, and allow the world to forget how their "invincible" pocket battleship ("strong enough to destroy smaller ships, and fast enough to run away from bigger ones" was defeated by smaller and lightly armed British cruisers.

"Yet they have made the amazing blunder of trying to focuss public attention on it ngain.

In propaganda sheets now being circulated in the Far East they attempt to refute the recent disclosure of the crew's refusal to put to sea and face British guns again. They quote a statement made by Captain Kay of the Graf Spee:

"We, officers and men of the 'Admiral Graf Spec', nail down the fact that the chief of the British navy does not shrink from fighting with lies soldiers of

the German navy which he could not defeat in open battle. We have nothing but most projound disgust for these fighting methods of the British Navy." A pretty cool speech from a man whose ship is lying on the mud of the River Plate estuary, utterly destroyed!

THE Germans scuttled their ship because they knew that certain defeat awaited her, at the hands of the navy which (according to Captain Kay) could not defeat her in open battle.

Or are we expected to believe that the Germans chose to break off the battle in order to have the interesting experience of scuttling their own ship?

Really, Dr. Goebbels, this is not in your best vein. The same interesting document quotes other claims, that the Graf parently only because the "attack-

Spee did not run away (but aping vessels had far higher speed"
—an odd admission), and that she "suffered no essential damage to hull, armament, or machinery, but one lucky shot rendered her fire control tower inoperative".

ALL right, let us concede that she did run away.

Let us just confine ourselves to pointing out that she was hounded into a neutral port as a bullock might be hounded into a shed by a couple of dogs-though the bullock could kill them both if only it had the courage to turn and

The "lucky" shot excuse is a pretty lame story: there must be something for wrong with German warships if they can be put out of action by a single six-inch shell -"lucky" or otherwise-which did no "essential damage"!

No. Goebbels, you'd better lay off the Graf Spee episode: really did you no good at all, twist it as you will.



POWER NAVAL MEDITERRANEAN

The hostile attitude of the Italian Press to the Allies gives point to a comparison of the combined British and French and the combined Italian and German strength in capital ships. The illustrations below of ships built exclude the tonnage officially reported to have been sunk. But the German ships, Scharnhorst and Von Scheer, which were officially reported to have been seriously damaged, are included in the Italian-German strength. Fourteen of the Allied ships (shown in black) have 15in, and five have 13in, guns. Four of the Italian and German ships have 12in, and three have 11in, guns.

In the comparison of ships nearing completion the Italians and Germans, having started building earlier, are given the advantage, but it is doubtful whether they should have it, since the Allies are able to build faster.

The Allies' superlority in categories other than capital ships is still more overwhelming. Hitler's strength was vitally weakened in the actions off Norway, and the British Fleet could release bigger forces for the Mediterranean than would have been possible a fortnight ago.

CAPITAL SHIPS BUILT CAPITAL SHIPS BUILDING drome; notice those concrete run- BRITAIN and FRANCE 10 BATTLESHIPS ways; once they're pitted with 5 BATTLE CRUISERS -SERVICE SHORTLY CONSTRUCTION 370,000 Tons 159.000 Tons 3 BATTLESHIPS 16 BATTLESHIPS 105,000 Tons 488,645 Tons - 4 BATTLESHIPS **ITALY**andGERMANY 4 BATTLESHIPS 140,000 Tons **1BATTLE CRUISER** CONSTRUCTION 26000Tons 6BATTLESHIPS 140,000 Tons 114 000 Tons r



Unsolved Mysteries of the Sea

MANY fine ships have al-IVI ready been lost in the eight months of Nazi piracy. Many others will be lost before the piracy ends.

Some are lost without trace, to become another mystery of the

The sea has many such mysteries. Take the story of the Flying Dutchman.

She was captained by a blas-pheming Dutchman, Vanderdecken. In the teeth of a head wind, "strong enough to blow the horns off a bull," his ship was battling round the Cape of Good Hope. His crew in panic begged him to turn about. He swore at them and

went on drinking. Then a vision appeared and, cursing the captain for a stubborn fool, condemned him for ever to sail the sens, unable to rest, unable to land, a phantom sent to haunt the waves, to torment and mislead succeeding generations of mariners.

THERE was the queer case of the Dutch emigrant ship Palatine which sailed for Philadelphia in 1752. She was beaten by gales, off her true course. Discipline aboard collapsed. The crew held the emigrants to ransom, stole their savings and made off in the boats.

The passengers, dying of disease and hunger, drifted helpless on to the beach of Block Island. The survivors were rescued, all except one woman who had gone mad and refused to leave.

By Paul Reilly

The ship was set on fire, and the Palatine, blazing from end to end, drifted out to sea, with the screams of the maniae sounding above the roar of the flames.

And now, on the anniversary of the wreck, they say that a light like that of a blazing ship appears to the north of Block Island, and no one along the const doubts that it is the Palatine Light.

MORE recent and more dramatic owing to the size of the boat was the fate of the 16,000-ton twinscrew Blue Anchor liner Waratah.

With a crew of 120 and 92 passengers she put out for Capelown from Durban on July 26, 1909. At six o'clock in the morning she was sighted by the Clan MacIntyre, a smaller and slower vessel bound for East London. The two ships exchanged greetings and compared weather reports, The Warntah passed on and in a few hours was hull down on the horizon. She was never seen or heard of again.

The Clan MacIntyre reported heavy seas later in the day, and on the next day it blow a hurricano, but no distress signals were received and no wreckage found.

No evidence was given at the court of inquity that gave any light on the late of the ship and its human cargo. A fine, seaworthy modern liner had been swallowed up in a night without warning and without the usual pathetic relies left floating on the surface to mark the grave of a lost ship.

Two years later a sea-worn lifebattered and barnaclecovered, was washed up on a Now Zealand shore seven thousand miles away. Beneath the barnacles the letters "WARAT", could just be deciphered. And that closed 'the story of a disaster that shocked the world as few have done in the history of ships.

NONE of us can have yet quite forgotten the tragic story of the training-ship Kobenhavn, the last and finest of the five-masted bar-

On December 14, 1928, the Kobenhavn have saild from Buenos Ayres for Melbourne with a complement of sixty, including forty-five young Danish cadets. Her course lay across the southern oceans, through the wildest seas known to sallors, through the "Ronring Fortics" where the giant rollers sweep round the Cape and through seas made dangerous by icofloes from the Antarctic.

For 120 days no word had been heard from her. Though equipped

with wireless she could only communicate with the world through other ships. Still there was hope. Her last voyage had taken as long. But time passed, her reinsurance quotation rose to 90 guineas per cent, and steamers' set off their courses to search. The British ship Halesius, calling at the lonellest island in the world, Triston da Cunha, in the Southern Atlantic, was the first to report news of a salling vessel that answered the right description.

The islanders had seen a ship pass one January morning. She had five masts and a white band painted round her stern. They watched her drift off shore for three hours. They saw no one move on board. Only a jib was set. A current caught the vessel and she turned off into the mist and was not seen again. No wreckage was washed up and no further reports of the Kobenhavn were received. The fine barque with its youthful crew became another tragic, unexplained loss.

Only seven skeletons, discovered beside the remains of a lifeboat half-buried among the desolate sanddunes of a West African coast, seemed to provide a clue to the riddle. Pieces of tattered blue cloth olinging to the bones showed that the men had been sailors. From the shape of their skulls they were Nordic. But it was only a guess. No one could ever know whether these seven had indeed survived the wreck of the Kobenhavn. The sea had given up its dead but still kept lis secret.

Crossword Puzzle

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13-Adjust once more

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15-Pieced out

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41-Egyptian god

44—Humor 45—And (French)

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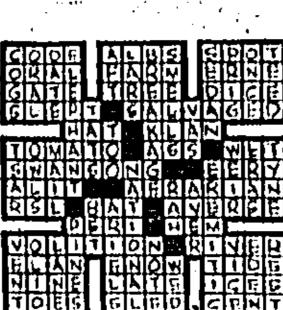
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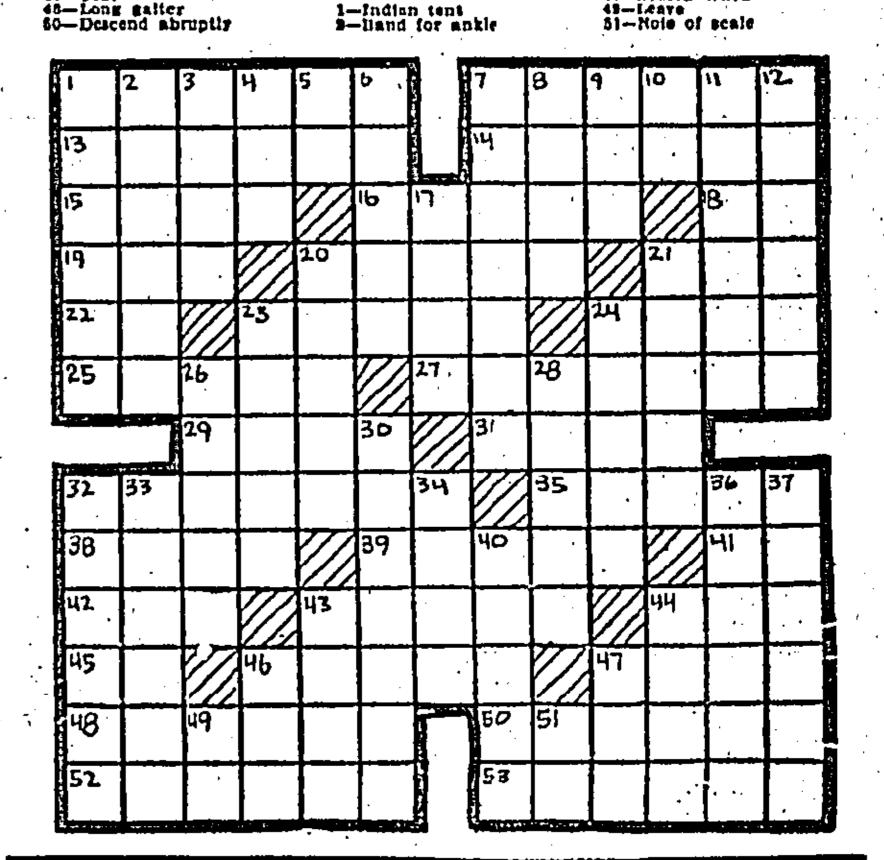
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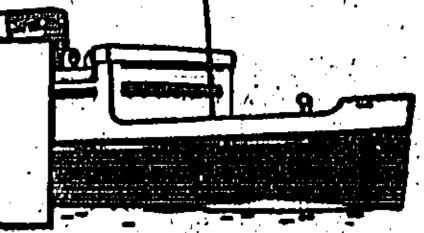
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MILK OF MAGNESIA

Children like their peppermint flavor.

Sir Nevile Henderson described in Saturday's instalment how he was withdrawn from his post as British Ambassador in Berlin after Hitler's invasion of Czecho-Slova-

He was in London when the quarrel between Gormany and Poland over Danzig began to assume grave proportions.

Then Britain, by announcing her pact of mutual assistance with Poland, plainly told the Nazis that further aggression in Europe would be met by force. Negotiations were begun for a pact with Russia—and Hitler began to shout about "encirclement."

Sir Nevile returned to Berlin on April 25, 1939, to notify the German Government that conscription was being introduced in Britain.

A S in 1938, so once again A in 1939, the summer months were spent in fruitless negotiation.

Moscow, had now become the centre of the stage, and His Majesty's Government. and the French Government sought sincerely but in vain to persuade the Russian Government definitely to assume the same obligations towards Poland as we ourselves had undertaken.

As soon as one alleged obstacle to Russian co-operation was overcome, Stalin produced another with unfailing regularity.

Nor did we cease during the same period constantly using our good offices at Warsaw, with a view to the avoldance of the kind of incident which Hitler was so skilful in turning to his own pur-

warnings to the Nazis

For my part in Berlin I was preaching patience and giving solemn warnings to all and sun-

My main and, indeed, almost sole object was to convince the Germans that any further act of aggression by them would mean war with Britain.

It was at the end of May, for instance, that I had my conversation with Goering, which I reported at the time and which constituted one of the documents included in the Blue Book issued by His Majesty's Government on the outbreak of war.

I made it quite clear to the Field Marshal that, while nobody desired more than we did an amicable arrangement between Germany and Poland in respect of Danzig and the Corridor, we were determined to oppose in future force by force.

Though Ribbentrop was at that time making great play with his own special brand of propaganda, to the effect that Britain would never fight over Danzig, the Field Marshal himself dld not, on that occasion, appear to doubt that such was our fixed resolve. It was, throughout the summer,

quite useless to argue about the equal rights of the Poles to Lebensraum and economic existence. and in the end I gave up trying to do so and concentrated on the inevitable consequences of aggressive action.

Hitler knows how to wait

The invariable retort of every German was that Britain had given a blank cheque to the Poles or had placed her sword in their hands.

My conversation with Goering led consequently nowhere in particular—as was, I fear, the fate of all my conversations, however stimulating, with him.

But, whatever may have been in Hitler's mind, war did not appear at that time to be either the desire or an immedalte preoccupation of Goerlng.

It was on that occasion he showed me with pride the coloured 'sketches of the tapestries which he proposed to hang in his new dining-room at Karinhall.

I described them in my official despatch as drawings of "naked" Indies," but I am glad to have this opportunity of saying that I did so in no disrespectful or suggestive

spirit. Had I anticipated that my despatch would ever be published, I should certainly have written "nude figures" in place of the cruder expression which I actually

used. very artistic, and I should not have ... to visit some old friends of mine. referred to them at all if it had. At it happened, a Polish horse not been to point the argument of was expected by many to be going patience, which had been the gist to win the race, but he finished of all my talk with Goering that down the course, to the keen satis-

Wind Charles

Sir Wevile Henderson



Frau von Ribbentrop, shown above wearing her best jewels, is heiress to a champagne fortunc. Hitler escorted her in the grand march at an"Axis" party she tendered Italy's Count Ciano at her 30-room Dahlem home.

That was why, when he read out the names of Mercy and Purity, etc., 'I took the opportunity to observe that I failed to see Patlence among them.

point, roared with laughter at the innuendo,

the chief impression which I had of Hitler was that of a master chess player studying the board and waiting for his opponents to make some false move which -could-be-turned-to-his-own-im--mediate advantage.

So long as Russia's final attitude remained unpredictable, he himself would not move.

In any case, his army would not be finally ready for all eventualities until the end of August. That, in spite of all the secreey of its preparations, was fairly evident. When it was announced that the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Tannenberg victory was to be held there on August 27, and that it would coincide with the visit of a German warship to Danzig, it did not need much prescience for me to abandon my rooted aversion to the popular habit of fixing dates

I wrote to Lord Halifax carly in July, and foretold that the last week of August was likely

to be zero hour. We had reached the last act of the drama, and the curtain for it had gone up on that momentous March 31 when Mr. Chamberlain announced in the House of Commons our agreement with Poland. Both parties were now sparring

light

We sought at Moscow and Ankara to build up a pecae front against aggression, while the Germans were working at Moscow, in the Baltic States and in the Balkans to make gaps in that front. Both were to win successes and to suffer defents.

But in the meantime there was a full which was likely to last for several months, and I reported to that effect at the beginning of

In the last days of that month urgently represented to the Polish Ambassador the desirability ' of resuming conversations at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, but his answer was that he could do nothing till the German Government had given some evidence of Its goodwill and readiness to talk. On June 25 I motored to Ham-These drawings were in fact burg to attend the local Derby and

faction of all loyal Germans.

The atmosphere was already strained, and I remember feeling rather sorry for my Polish colleague, who was also present. Yet everybody was friendly and Goering, who never missed a courteous and appeared honestly

During the next four months be chief impression which I had Germans didn't hate Britain

glad to see one.

Looking back on it all, one can only be impressed by the tragedy and futility of the present war. There was no hostility to England among the mass of the people in Germany.

Goebbels' frenzied propaganda may, since the beginning of the war, have been successful in working Germans up to hate. German youth is being, and has for some years past, been reducated up to hate us. Nazi extremists, full of the

mystical faith which seeks to impose German leadership on a world of German vassals, will always hate the chief barrier to the fulfilment of their overweening ambitions. Resentment against the English.

who nicknamed him. Brickanddrop, may inspire Ribbentrop's hatred, and the "fury of the woman scorned" may fan the passions of Hitler himself. But the German people had no

natural hatred of the British. and it is the saddest thing in the world that the two should fight. Personally, up to the last, never felt anywhere that I was other than welcome.

I attended two large parties a the end of that month; one was given by Funk, who, after having succeeded Schacht as Minister for Economies, had later replaced him as President of the Reichsbank, and the other by Lutze, who was the chief of the S.A. or brown-

Everyone who was anyone in Nazi circles, with the notable exception of the Ribbentrops and Himmlers, were present at these parties.

For me, they were not so much social entertainments as opportunities to exchange views with all who were ready to listen and to

I did my utmost in these numerous conversations to enlist the support of those most closely in touch with Hitler, with a view to inducing him to make some gesture which would open the door, if it were only an inch or so, to a response on Mr. Chamberlain's

But our negotiation with Russia, as long as they continued. were represented to me as an insuperable obstacle to any conciliatory initiative on Hitter's

Alns, it was all talk; for it was not the Luizes and the Funks, or even the Brauschitzes and Lammers, who decided policy. The last thing which Hitler him-

informed that I was there,

combination.

game for him.

discussions, with England.

agreement with us.

Riddle of

Russian pact

spicuous by their absence.

usual courtesy.

in connection with private business

at the beginning of July, and

warned His Majesty's Government

By this time, the Russian nego-

tiations had ceased to have for

me, even the superficial appear-

ance of any reality, and I still be-

lleve that from the outset Moscow

never meant them to terminate in

The moment at which Hitler

began his own negotiations with

Stalin must remain for the time

being a matter for conjecture, but

it can scarcely have been coinci-

dence that in Hitler's speech of

April 28 his usual hostile refer-

ences to the U.S.S.R. were con-

On May 3, Litvinov, the Russian

protagonist of the League of Na-

tions, was relieved of his post as

Commissur for Foreign Affairs. A

few, weeks later a new Soviet

Ambassador to Germany was re-

ceived with marks of quite un-

I decided, at the end of July, to

seek for myself the opportunity of

a personal meeting with Hitler. He

Though absolutely unmusical,

like Wagner. I had twice attended

the whole of the Ring in Berlin,

and I used this as an excuse to pay

So far as my real objective was

concerned it was a complete

failure. I had cor trouble on the

found that Hitler was away in-

specting the Siegfried Line, accom-

panied by Ribbentrop; an ominous

He got back on the last after-

noon of my visit, but I only saw

But contact with the British

Ambassador was not part of the

way down, and when I got there I

a visit to Bayreuth on July 29.

was at Bayreuth at the time, at-

tending the Wagner festival.

that the clouds were gathering.

There were three parties in Germany at this time. One, for removed from Hitler's entourage and representing the mass of the people, was all for peace and still hopeful that Hitler's wizardry would enable him to achieve his Vol. X No. 1 alms without war.

A second was equally all for war at any price. It was confident in the might of Germany's Army and Air Force and in her invulnerability to attack from the west.

It was the party in closest touch with Hitter, and was constantly pressing him to go ahead regardless of the consequences, and arguing that in any case Britain either would not or could not fight.

There was a third party, which appeared really to believe that Britain's military preparations were being deliberately undertaken with a view to a preventive war, and which consequently argued that war in 1939 was better for Germany than war in 1940

I was repeatedly told by those in closest touch with him that Hitler himself professed to share this

The war atmosphere was spreading apace: France was now mobilising, and the country was united behind M. Daladier.

Britain was also girding up her loins, and in the middle of July extra fleet exercises had been announced, extra ships were placed in commission and some naval reservists were called up.

The underlying idea was to convince Hitler of our readiness for It apparently failed to convince

Ribbentrop, who to the last continued to assert that England would never flight. I say "apparently" with intention, since I am still unable to credit even Ribbentrop with

These extracts are taken from the book of Sir Nevile Henderson entitled "Fallure of a Mission," published by Messrs, Hodder & Stoughton, Ltd.

would fall to honour her obliga-

There is no shadow of doubt that he was all the time saying so, to Hitler and to everyone. But that he believed himself what he said seems to me incredible.

Egging on the Fuehrer

By 1930 Hitler had become so great in his own esteem that he could afford to discribe his Foreign Minister as the second Bismarck. He often said so to others, and no one was surer that self wanted was to start serious It was so than Ribbentrop him-I went to London for a few days

But the world had yet to be persunded that it was so, and for this a war was necessary.

To ensure war any means were legitimate. If he could persuade Hitler, who possibly needed little persuading, to go to extremes by representing England as afraid of war, all the better.

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him at a distance in the Opera Campore Tongkah (Bhuket) Madras Manila Tsingtao Medan Even so, if he had wanted to Delhi Yokohama New York speak to me. Hitler could have Haiphong (Peking) done so, for he must have been Hamburg Penang

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9.30 London Relay-"Under Nazi Rule." 9.45 Excerpts from Glibert & Sulli-

10.15 A Dance Programme. 11.0 Close down.

NAZIS' RULE

(Continued from Page 6.)

(the noblest part of his equipment): He has not read the Vedas, the Mahabharata, or the Confucian Analects. He would scorn to do so ·if-he-could;—To-him-they-are-thescribblings of non-Aryan sub-

men, beneath contempt. Since the Nazis propounded their revolting doctrine of world domination the little spots on the German moral leopard have grown to the size of dinner plates. Wee betide Malaya if ever it were in the position of Poland and Czecho-

Slovakia—under the Nazi heel. To most of us this is almost too obvious for mention but it you were to get hold of one of those little leaflets, cyclostyled on wrapping paper in pale ink that has blotted and run, in the handwriting of boys who have failed to pass their junior middle school, you would receive the impression that British imperialism is a dreadful thing than which nothing could be worse. I am not concerned to defend British imperialism or to prove that it is the most enlightened system of government that the human mind could conceive. live under it and can judge for yourselves. But one thing I can say. If anyone would willingly substitute for it the imperialism of Nazi Germany the only proper place for him is the padded cell. Well I have finished with my nightmare. The Swastika is 8,000 long miles away over seas guarded by the British Navy or over land defended by the Allied forces and by the good sense and decency of the Asiatic peoples.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

Summary issued on Saturday says: A quiet morning, though there was happy observance of the Empire, some "chicken feed" produced in the form of investment business.

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50 YEARS AGO

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n New York. A black snake four feet long was killed and 8-11 p.m. on 9.52 m.c's. per in the gutter outside the Masonic Club, about dusk last evening.

For the first time in the history of steam shipping in China the Austrian flag 12.30. Mozart - Symphony No. 29 in represented on the Yangisze. The British steamer Anchin Maru, which for Sir Thomas Beecham conducting the past three months has been running the London Philharmonic Orchestra. on the Yangisze, changed her flag tast will after undergoing an overhauling, and

25 YEARS AGO

Field Marshal Sir John French has issued a report on the Germans using 1.30. Reuter and Rugby Press, polsonous gases in which he says: They have been ejected from pipes laid in the Weather Forecast and Announce- trenches and also by shells specially manufactured. German attacking troops had specially designed respirators, and this all points to a long methodical pre-paration on a large scale. The report emphasizes that a week before Germany used the method, a Berlin communique naphyxiating gases—then there appeared no reason for this astounding falsehood, but now it is obvious that that was part possible domestic criticism. Moreover. 8.03. The Regimental Band of H.M. since the method was first used, the enemy adopted it both for offence and defence whenever the wind was favourable. The effect was not merely that of 8.33 Variety with Gracie Fields, disabiling, or even painlessly fatal as sugsteated by the German press, but the victims suffer acutely and a large proportion die a painful, lingering death. It appears that those surviving are permanently injured in the lungs and will possibly be invalids for life. These effects must be well known to the German scientists who devised the method, and also to the military who sanctioned its use. "I am of opinion the enemy has definitely decided to use these gases as a normal procedure and that protests will be useless."

> The Italian Ambassador had a prolonged onference with Sir Edward Grey.

Speaking in the House of Commons, Mr. Asquith said that Germany's use of polsonous gases was a breach of the Hague Convention and had been clearly committed with deliberate purpose after enreful preparation. He emphasised that time would be better spent in counteracting such actions than by making repre-

Reuter's correspondent at Copenhagen reports that the King of Sweden, at Gothenburg made-n-speech-in-which-he said the danger of Sweden being involved in the war was as great as before. He cmphasised that it was Sweden's Indispensable duty to observe strict neutrality. and he exharted all to do nothing to aggravate the country's position and said he was confident in case of necessity the whole nation would be united in defending the country and liberty.

It is five years ago to-day since King George succeeded to the throne. When King Edward died, the nation felt that it had to take his son more or less on rust. King Edward was known; was the most popular prince, and one of the most popular men, in the world; but of King George all that his subjects knew was that he was a naval officer, and a man somewhat retiring disposition—who might or might not worthily wear tho crown that he had inherited from the laxon kings by his father's side and from Conute by his mother's. Everything was rpeculation. The country's relations with foreign Powers were apparently good, but the Empire itself was not by any means at its most peaceable. There was disaffection in some parts, minor political unrest in others, while at Home every other man was at his neighbour's throat over Mr. Lloyd George's notorious Budget, the worries connected with which had helped to shorten the days of King Edward. It was little wonder, then that the world watched with lively curiosity the

actions of the new King Emperor. 10 YEARS AGO

Mahatma Gandhi, leader of the civi lisobedienco movement in India has been arrested at Jalaipur under Regulation Twenty Five of 1927 and will be imprisoned during the pleasure of the Government of India.

At the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel, celebrations took place on Wednesday, the 30th of April last, in honour of H.R.H. the Princess Juliana, only child of Her Majerty the Queen of the Netherlands and the Prince Consort, who came of age on that date.

5 YEARS AGO

May 0, 1005. With fitting ceremonial and pageantry. the Colony of Hongkong to-day loyally Hongkong Stock Exchange Official and enthusiastically began its celebration of Silver Jubilee Week under conditions giving promise of a most colourful and So great is the interest centred in the celebrations that there has been a tremendous influx of visitors from South Chins, estimates of the number who have come here to see the sights varying between 100,000 and 200,000.

> The gigantic French liner, Normandie, sailed from St. Nazaire to-day on her speed trials.

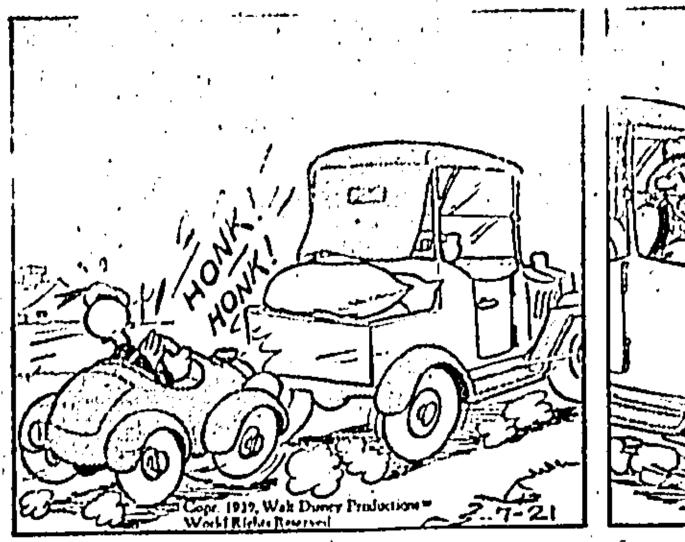
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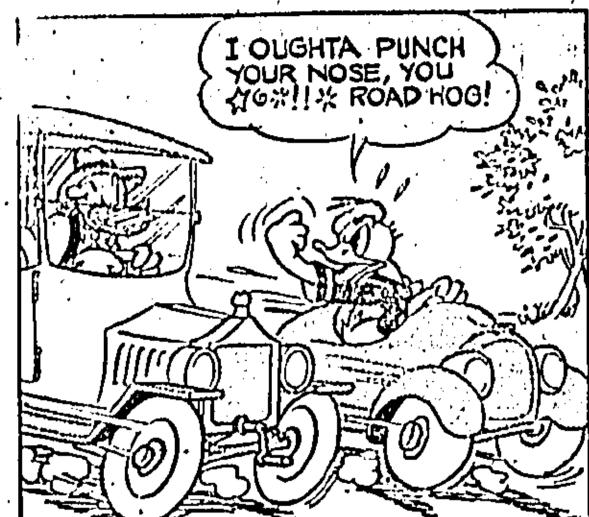
The Society of Chartered Accountants in China held their annual dinner at the Shanghal Club with Mr. A. H. George, H. M. Consul-General in Shanghai, as the guest of honour. In the course of his speech the Chairman, Mr. H. R. Cleland, gave a brief review of the history of the accountancy and welcomed guests.

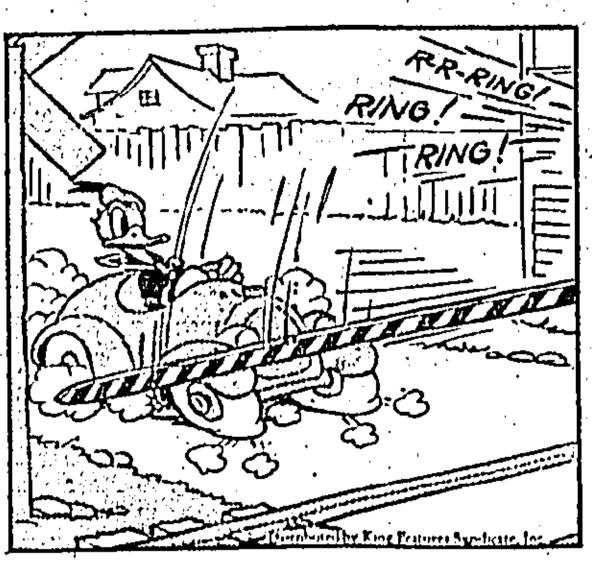
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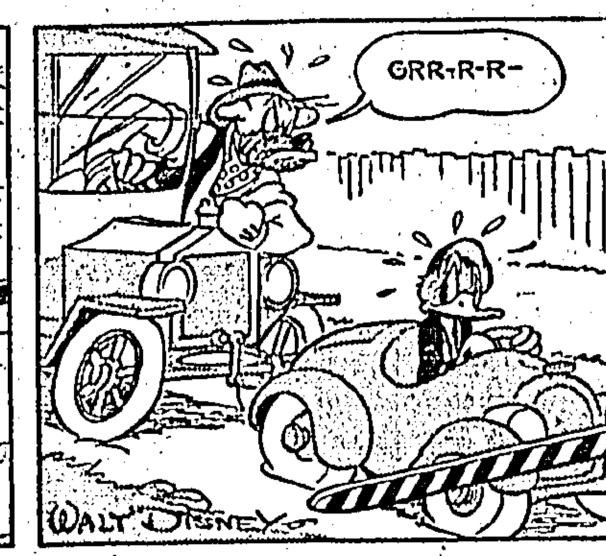
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"P" indicates "pursuit," which is the

Their performance is still secret. but here is the latest information

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The P.39 is being produced at Buffalo, New York, by the Bell Air-

It is a single-sent monoplane,

powered by a liquid-cooled Allison | engine of 1,000 h.p., and fitted with |

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had placed a contract for the P.40, and that it was the biggest order for

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Like the Bell P.39, the Curtis

P.40 is an all-metal single-seat

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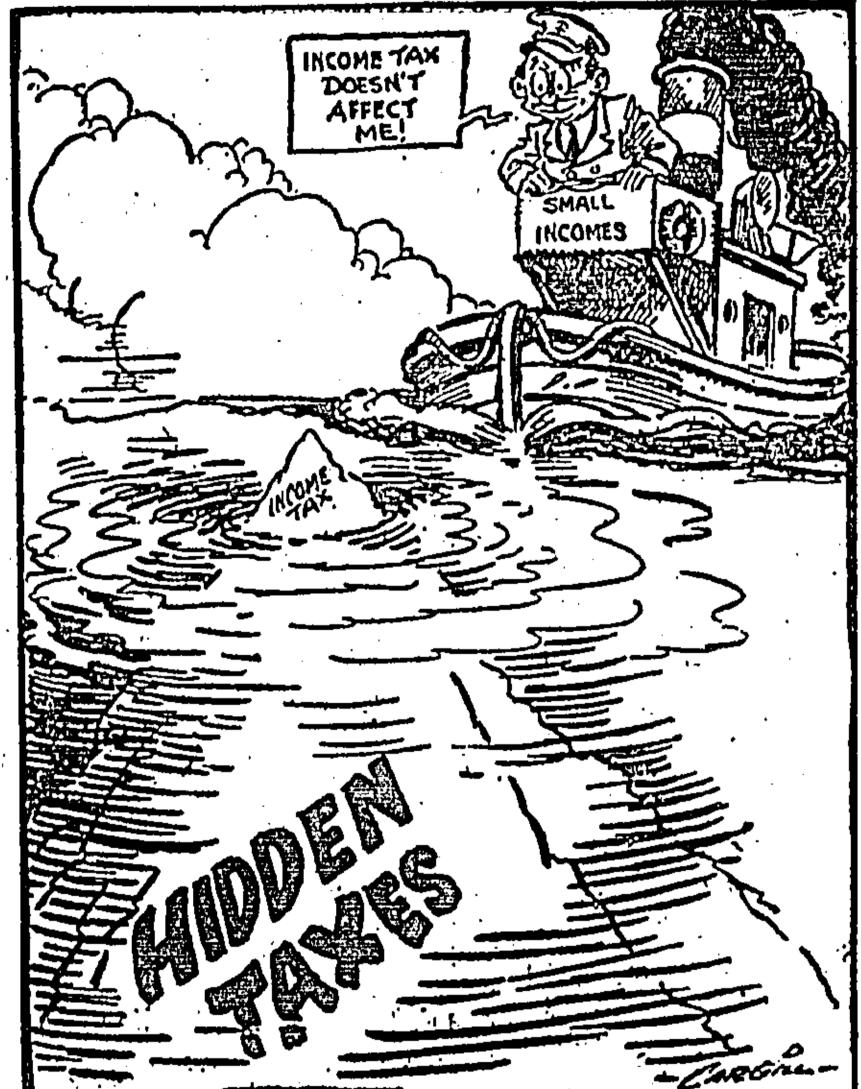
craft Corporation.

the Allies.

ATTACK BOMBER'S NAZI CONVOY BRITISH ON

On Saturday we published a photograph of a German plane attacking a British Convoy, with anti-aircraft gunfire

bursting around it. Here is another photograph of the same incident. shows an attendant destroyer's guns going into action as the raid launched. Smoke from one of the destroyers 4.7 inch guns as she fires on the attacker. The bombers sunk two neutral ships the Convoy and damaged two others.-Copyright.



Seven-Eighths of an Iceberg Is Under Water

Entrance to the covered cockpit is by The Bell Aircraft Corporation was formed in 1935. Its president, Mr. Lawrence D. Bell, is well known in The P.40 is already in production. Its builders, the Curtiss-Wright Corporation of New York, announced last year that the U.S. Army Air Corps

EIRE IS NEUTRAL in the present war, but

The Curtiss Corporation was established in 1910. Its Hawk fighter has paperman who appeared to have no bigoted opinions on

The next was a rather dispassionate

"What about the I.R.A. "They don't count:" he said. "If it wasn't for German-American money there would be nothing

heard of them.

The Friendly Man

A friendly man in the hotel lounge saw me drinking coffee, invited me to make it whisky, and, with that genial Dublin insistence that won't be denied, made it a double instead of the requested single. Then he told HAVERHILL, Mass .- At least one New England bride of me a large part of the story of his the early 18th century had an economical trousseau. Her wed-life, many years of which had been spent in Canada,

"No a doubt in the world about it," he said. "We're all pro-British now.

"My father was a rate-collector, and my mother was a rebel-rest their souls—but I am pro-British now. We all know there's no question about the right or wrong of this

Religion One Reason

He entertained me for a time with the tale of Ireland's grievances. When he stopped for breath, I asked him about Irish sympathics in the war.

He hesitated. "Don't the people feel," I asked Dancs just do not wish to read the he received her at the hands of the these parts by the groom furnishing "that if Britain went down, they ""We don't want Hitler to win." he "Foreign reactions" and "News from that if a woman married a man who was done in the presence of witnesses said. "You see, the Irish people are against him because of his persecu-

"If there was no partition in Eire."

Nazi radio stations again warn the German people not to forget the black-out regulations. It was stressed that the regulations referred not only to big towns but

the whole of the country, and houses,

Nazis Warn "Don't

Forget Black-Out"

bulldings and cars must strictly conform to the rules.

UNABLE to get enough meal for their pigs, Isle of Wight farmers asked a Ryde baker to bake

bread for the troops. They offered to pay him twopence a gallon more than the

Government pays for baking bread for the troops. The baker asked the local food officer if it would be all right for him to bake bread for the pigs. The food officer said "Certainly

not," and then he told the

food control committee about it.

DIPLOMATS CONFER London, May 5.

for soldiers

The committee decided that he

was right, and further they will

bring the matter at once to the attention of the Ministry of Food.

-The-Norwegian-Foreign Minister, Professor Koht, and the Norweglan Desence Minister arrived in London to-day to consult the British Government. With them were the British minister to Norway and his wife and the wife of the French Minister 'to Norway.—Reuter Bulletin.

German-Heel-

A traveller from Copenhagen states that the Danish capital, once one of the gayest in Europe, has been plunged into despair. Day by day it is dawning upon the Danes what occupation by German troops means.

For four days before the important countries as the United Germans arrived a Nazi war film | States. from Poland was shown at the Dagmar Theatre.

warning words and mentioned what proprietor smiled and apologised. happened to a nation which resisted "It is verboten." Germany.

crowds of people, and small laurels This memorial is a statue of a

Danish soldier carrying a little wounded trumpeter who has insisted upon being carried back into the line to rally Danish troops, thus bringing a turning-point in a battle.

Army Chagrin

In Army circles chagrin prevails as there is talk of Denmark's lost honour, although it had been a foregone conclusion that if ever the Germans attacked it would be quite impossible to defend the land effectively.

Train services are greatly reduced. Suburban trains which used to leave every ten minutes leave now every

King Christian is said to appear "breken up." It is believed that he records survey. The ceremony married the pair when he could find was for some time underded before was performed Dec. 24, 1733, at averse him he agreed the proclamation of surrender. His Ministers reasoned with him on the uselessness of de- hill. fence and the disaster it would bring to Denmark at small expense to Germany.

Landed With Bicycles

German troops landing at Aalborg were resisted by Danish troops. The Germans overcame them - after casualties on both sides. The Germans landed with bicycles, and a detachment rode off to occupy the

There seems to be no organised woman who was in debt he would boycott of newspapers. German news, and are not convinced minister or magistrate with any of the bride with her trousseau, retainwhen, under neadlines such as her property. It also was believed ing title to the clothes himself. This abroad," the most outlandish and was in debt, his creditors could not to provide factual testimony in case unimportant newspapers are quoted take her property to satisfy them the husband was subject to a suit for tion of the Catholics. for sympathy with the German action, provided he received nothing from any debt his wife might have conat the expense of reactions in such her.

Nazi Parade My informer asked a restaurant

On Hitler's birthday a German exceptionally high. Germany in Copenhagen attracts outside the Hotel d'Angleterre. hotel took the Nazi salute.

Brides of

Sometimes

ding gown was simply a sheet.

Bradford, now a part of Haver-

called "smock marriages" and, it is

"mock marriages" was a white sheet.

on a belief that if a man married a

and the American colonies.

nothing at all.

believed, were common in England features.

At a special performance of this proprietor to turn on the Swedish the Bell p. 39, it has a retractable film the German Minister spoke in wireless news one evening but the tricycle undercarriage and is of all-

Record of this unusual attire! Appearance of a nude bride-elect

was found in a manuscript col- at a church in Birmingham, England,

Library by the PWA historical first to perform the ceremony, but

Although the usual costume of the clothed bride to stand in a closet

or chemise, the bride at times were hole in the door to grasp the hand

be held liable for her indebtedness if cords, immodesty was overcome in

The unusual procedure was based their hands out at the sides.

senter with twin fuselage and twin lie?"-"Oh, they want the Allies to Allison engines. As in the case of metal construction. Its performance is believed to be

A memorial of the 1864 war with parade was held in Kongens Nytory, | No details of its speed have been disclosed. The prototype flew across Military music was played, and the American continent-from Burand bouquets are discreetly laid at its high officers standing outside the bank, California, to New York in seven hours.

Modesty generally forbade such

One method was for the un-

and extend, her hand, through a

of the groom during the ceremony.

Others stood behind screens and put

Eventually, according to the re-

tracted before their marriage.

LONG DUBLIN.

there seems to be no question about the sympathies of the people. Those who are not actually friendly to Britain are hostile to Hitler.

The first man tackled on the subject was a newsbeen supplied in large numbers to the any of the common topics of political controversy. "How do the people feel about the | brothers with England." He was off

again on his favourite subject, and I war?" a correspondent asked him. withdrew gracefully.

"They're glad to be out of it," he replied with conviction. "But where do their sympathics

win, of course." and apparently shrewd observer who was for Cosgrave and against De

Valera. He agreed that the people were glad to be out of the war and that they sympathised with the Allies.

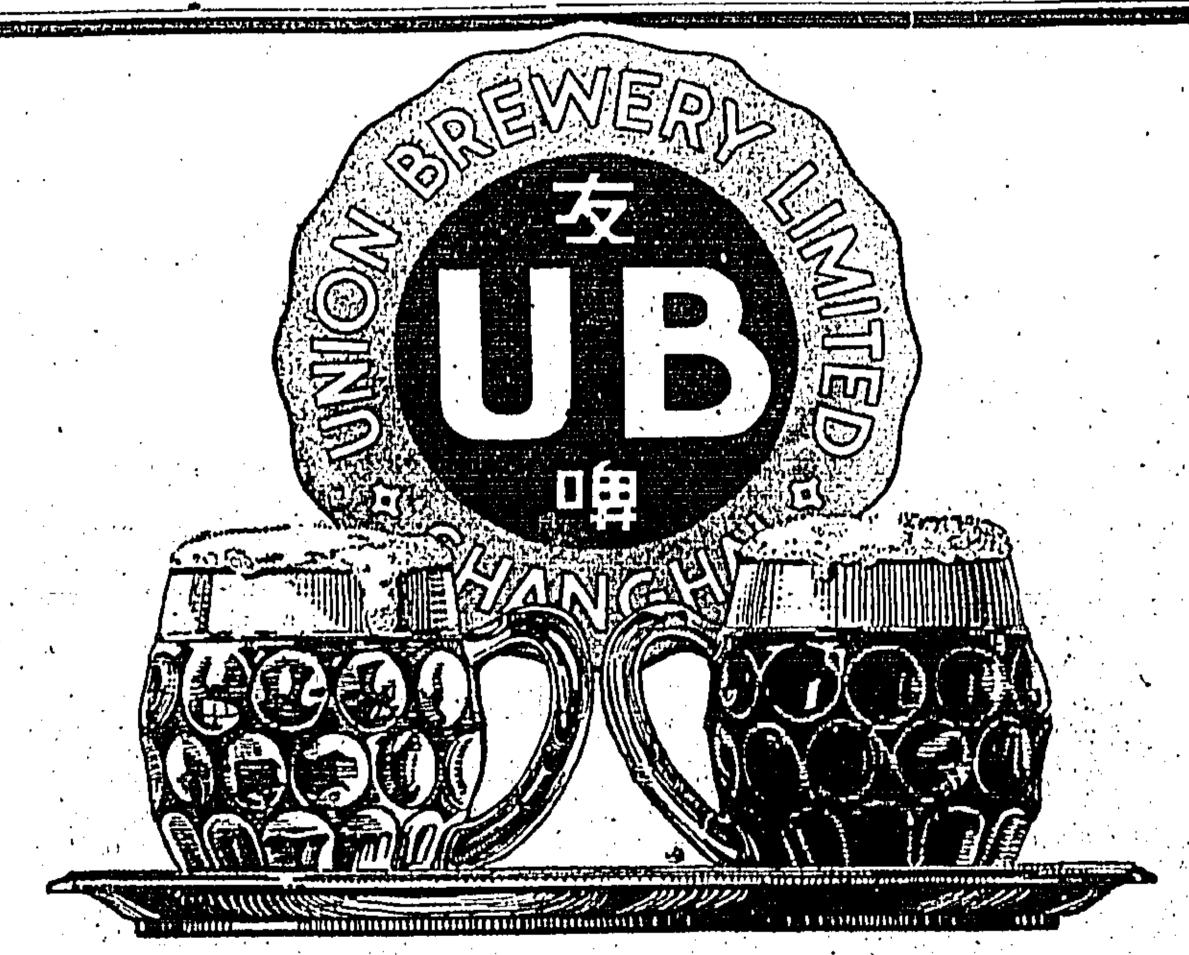
"The people generally are all for the Allies."

I put the question to him. in 1787, precipitated dissension in I'm pro-British for the first time in

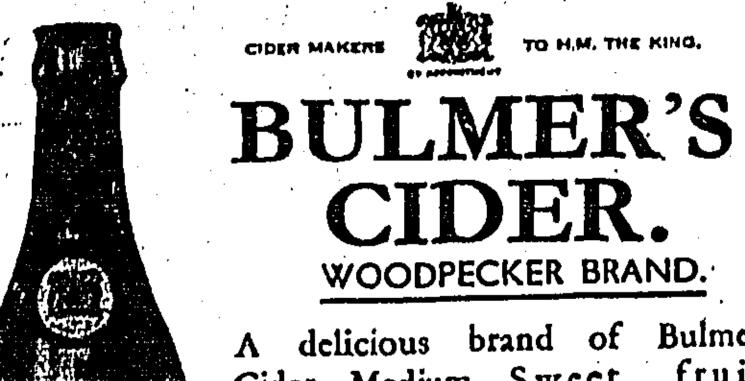
lection in the Andover Public the parish. The minister refused at my life.

exhibitions and various expedients I sought out a Republican, a mild-Such marriage ceremonies were were devised to accomplish the de- mannered little man who had once sired effect and avoid undesirable played a part in politics, and who, though not an active member of the 1.R.A., was in sympathy with their nims and in favour of their methods.

he said, "we would be as friendly as



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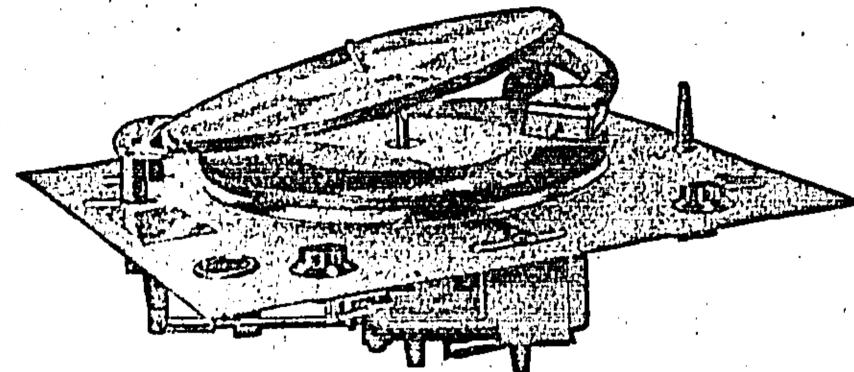
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Germans in Britain

When one speaks of Germans to-day one is apt to forget that there are large numbers of them who are scattered over the world, homeless, and without the rights of citizens. In Great Eritain alone there are more than 50,000 refugees from Germany or Austria, most of whom love their native country, yet desire its defeat in war. Their position has become even more difficult than before the outbreak of war, for they can neither return to their native land nor be certain that they will not be regarded as dangerous enemy aliens in the country of their asylum.

To the authorities in Britain they presented a problem which demanded delicate handling, for it was obvious that many of these Germans might be useful to the Allied cause, but among them were a few who might be agents of the enemy. A solution was found by the appointment of a larger number of tribunals which were instructed to deal as quietly as possible with the foreigners whose cases they were to examine, sending suspicious cases to internment camps, imposing mild restrictions on others, and leaving the remainder free to do what they liked. Of the 62,000 Germans or Austrians whose cases were reported on before January 15, only 120 were interned, 5,416 were placed in the second category, while 42,697 were released from all restrictions.

The last named are free to take up any occupation they like, and nearly 1,000 have actually joined the British fighting forces. It is one of the advantages possessed by the Allies that they have on their side large numbers of wellinformed and highly intelligent Germans who understand conditions in Germany and the psychology of the German people, and are now ready and anxious to put their knowledge at the disposal of Britain and France. In expelling Jews and making their country unsafe for other Germans who have disagreed with the regime, the Nazis have made a present to their opponents of some of Germany's best intellects.

MALAYA UNDER THE RULE OF THE NAZIS-A NIGHTMARE

The article below was published in the "Straits Times" and is 10 h.p. 40 m.p.g. re-published in the "Telegraph" with acknowledgments to our contem-12 h.p. 35, m.p.g. porary in Singapore. "Hongkong" could well be substituted for "Malaya" 14 h.p. 30 m.p.g. in the text. 25 h.p. 20 m.p.g.

I found myself walking through the streets of Singapore, but there was a curious atmosphere about the place. It did not seem at all like the old Singapore I used to know. I had a heavy, drugged feeling and for a moment I wondered whether the impression of strangeness did not arise from causes within me and not from changes without. But then I began to notice things that were too unmistakable to be due to hallucination. For one thing all the signs over shops and on office doors that used to be in English were in German now-words as long as snakes in thick, squat cursive-style lettering; for another there was a

plague of swastikas over the city,

on flags, on plaques, on armicts,

which struck upon my eye with

their sharp outlines. I stared about me incredulously. There were Chinese, Indians, and Malays as there had always been, but they seemed to have lost the

carefree air that I remembered. They went about furtively, glancing often to left and right. They did not gather in groups to laugh and chat but walked in twos or threes and hurriedly as if they feared that they might be intercepted. Perhaps the police had something to do with it? There were many more police than I had ever seen but they were not the old Malay mata-matas and the Sikhs. They had disappeared. In their place there were Europeans in brown uniforms and all carrying automatic rifles with their fingers playing at the triggers. Their faces were a frown. From

time to time other European and African soldiers in unfamiliar uniforms marched past in detachments carrying rifles. S. A. men, may be! One detachment had a band playing the "Horst Wessel Song" which broke weirdly across the muffled sounds of the city.

Impatient to learn the secret of the mystery I approached a middleaged Chinese who looked like a businessman intending to ask him to explain things to me, but when he saw me he edged away and I realized that he was anxious to avoid any contact with Europeans. Just then one of the European policemen in the strange uniform stepped up to me and speaking sharply in German asked me for my identity eard. My German was rather rusty but'I understood him and felt automatically in my pocket. To my surprise I found a card there with my photograph on it and a mass, of particulars concerning me and my movements and an intersection of official stamps. The policeman looked at it carefully and then handed it back to me with a curt nod. I saw him approach others. Asiatics included, in the some way and then I realized that no one could be at large without

an identity card. My experiences were disconnected and often confused but there were extremely clear and lucid intervals, more intense and disturbing than I can describe. I found myself at a book-stall looking for the familiar "Straits Times," "Free Press," or "Tribune," seeking no doubt, for the solution of the mystery of what had happened to Singapore. But I could find none of them.. All the newspapers were in German and I picked up a "Singaporische Beobachter" paying for it with a nickel five pfennig piece I found in my pocket. edged away into a corner to look

My German, as I say, was rusty but I could get the gist of the news and the articles. (How grotesque the heavy black type looked against the well-known background of Battery Road—Berchtesgadenstrasse was the name I caught sight of on n wall). I was astonished at the tone of the paper—so different from the catholic outlook and interest of the old press of Singapore. A new struggle was to come, this time with America, it seemed, and the paper was striving to lash up hatred of that country and of its people. The Americans, it appeared were trying to encircle the Great German Empire and to deny it its Lebensraum in the wide prairies of the Middle. West, and to deprive it of access to the cotton fields of Georgia and Carolina so essential for Greater German clothes and Greater German bombs. The U.S.A. was an effete democracy controlled by Jews, negroes, and Chicago gangsters etc.—all the old stuff but even more violent and rabid. There was some Malayan news but it read strangely. A demonstration of Hitler Youth was to be held in Penang, a conscript labour battalion was to be reviewed on the Goeringplatz in Singapore. Three hundred Chinese, one hundred and eighty Indians, and seventy Malays had been sent to

the concentration camps at Segamat, Kajang, and Pulau Jerejak for crimes against the German state. I noticed, too, that a department called the State Tin and Rubber Control seemed to own all the mines and estates and there were figures showing the exports to Germany which absorbed nearly all the output. There was also an official notice by the Stadtsamt stating that workers who did not produce their quote or who failed to put in an average of twelve hours a day for six days a weekwould be punished by being deprived of their ration cards. All food was rationed, I gathered. I

saw a reference too to the Koenig-Marshal Goering Ten Year Plan of Self-Sufficiency for Malasian India (Good God, I thought, had they got the Netherlands Indies tool) But my diazy head failed to piece it all

together to make complete sense. Now I was looking for the vernacular press. Perhaps there I should find a clue. I asked a Malaya."He looked at me suspiciously for a moment and then said, "Lama suda berkunji tuan!" It had been suppressed. Of course it had. There could be no room for n paper advocating Malayan na-tionalism. I asked for the "Sin Chew Jit Poh," the "Union Times," or the "Sin Kuo Min Jit Poh."

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They had all disappeared. All could get was a single sheet written in very bad Chinese which spoke of the duty of the Chinese to serve the Greater Germany. There was not neword in this paper—the Toi Tak Kwok Yat Po or the German Chinese Gazette it was calledthe Sino-Japanese War which. I had seen from a small item in the "Singaporische Beobachter" was still going on. Chinese nationalism, though, was referred to in a leading article as a dangerous heresy which was adhered to only among the criminal classes of the Chinese in Malaysian Indla.

My recollection, as I have said, is discontinuous and imperfect, but I do remember that I began to feel a little more resigned to this monstrous world though more curious than ever to know what had happened to the land I had lived in. I managed to talk to a number of the people who seemed dreadfully afraid of the police and would speak only when they were sure that they were unobserved. But I was able to piece together the things they told me and gain a general impression of the shapeof things that had come to pass. There were no longer any Malay States or Malay rulers. They had been abolished. The Germans did

not recognize the principle of protectorates. The whole of Malaya and the Netherlands Indies had become a single German colony under a Governor-General in Singapore. The Legislative, Federal, and State Councils had gone. All the powers of government were vested in the Eastern Branch of the Nazi Party, itself responsible to the Nazi Party of Germany. Arising In-Kelantan-had-been-ruthlessly suppressed and over 30,000 Malays had been killed. Education had been standardized under a Nazi programme. All the Malay, Chinese, and Indian schools had been taken over by the government. German was taught in all the schools but only so much as would enable pupils to understand the commands of their overseers or to use the tools of their trade. There were a few middle schools in which a higher standard was taught but these were merely factories for producing clerks and the textbooks were full of the glories of Nazilsm and the glories of the Aryan Race and the highest function of the graduates, they said, was to serve their German masters without question. One Indian told me how he had been flogged for being in possession of a pamphlet of the illegal Congress

Here my recollection becomes vague again. The dull chloroformed feeling returned to me. The veil lifted for a second or two at a time and I seemed to be travelling in a train. The carriage was labelled "Aryans Only" and I saw Asiatics being herded into trucks in another part of the train. I heard the gutturn! shouts of a German major who was swelling at the neck and cursing an Asiatic official of some sort, It took me back to Germany when I was a prisoner-of-war. When my recollection cleared I found myself in surroundings that were again familiar. I recognized the streets and the building of Kuala Lumbur. But it was a changed-an unnatural Kuala Lumpur. It seemed a city of condemned souls, a limbo of hopelessness. Petaling Street which had been so full of animution was like a Chinese cemetery on All Soul's Day. There were shell holes and bullet marks on the buildings which I could not explain. Gangs of coolies passed through the streets marching under overseers. The overseers carried whips. There was a curfew at dusk and the old bright lights of my time shone no more.

Now I was trending the staircase of the old Supreme Court. A trial was going on. A German was charged with listening-in to the American wireless. He was senteneed to six years penal servitude. But I could see no Asiatics anywhere except the court ushers and interpreters for witnesses. I met an educated looking Indian in the corridor.

"Where are the Asiatics?" I asked him in English, "Where are the

Chinese and Indian lawyers?" He gazed at me in astonishment. I repeated by question and then he, seeing that I was genuinely ignorant and that we were alone, put his finger to his lips and said

in a whisper. "They have been abolished. Surely you know that? Where have you come from? I was a lawyer once with a big practice—under the English of course. Now I am an interpreter on forty marks a month. It is either that or the concentration camp at Kajan. But haven't you read 'Mein Kampf'? Don't you know the passage about native lawyers and semi-apes?" He smiled bitterly. "Is that it?" I exclaimed, "But

where are the courts for Asiatics?" "They have another court. Where the Magistrate's Courts used to be. But there is no code of law, no lawyers to argue. Everything is decided by the German magistrate. The punishment is heavy fines or flogging-sometimes worse. Even for trivial offences. The prisons and the camps are full. Life is ghastly. Rations you can't live on. There is nothing you could buy in the shops if you had the money. The Ten Year Plan comes first and last. But," he added gritting his teeth and a savage light coming into his eyes. "Their time will come. The Americans will blockade Maliya and we shall

A policeman was coming along the corrider. My Indian friend turned quickly on his heel. Shapes became indistinct again, I felt I wanted to cry out like a man who was being suffocated-and then, thank God, I woke upl

What a marvellous relief it was to find myself in my bed, bathed though I was in a cold sweat. I went to the verandah of the house in which I was staying and there was the Union Jack still flying over Government House. A mata-mata was on his beat down below at the corner. I could see the British warships in the harbour. Once again, Thank God! It had been nothing but a ghastly nightmare!

Now a few of you who have read my nightmare may be inclined to think that it is a mere fantasy full of exaggerations and stretchings of possibility. Mere propaganda in fact. Now listen to this.

The Right Honourable L. S Amery, one-time Secretary of of State for the Colonies, tells us that no special criminal code for natives of German colonies, was ever worked out. In 1912 the German Reichstag Deputy, Dr. Mueller, said:—

"Our civil and military administration of justice is simply indefensible....With regard to native justice and administration there exists an incredible uncertainty concerning the powers of the administrative authorities.....One judge uses the German Penal Code without further ado, another does not use the Penal Code at all... In short our criminal proceedings are in a condition which leaves the native entirely without rights." In 1906 another Deputy, Herr

Storz, had said:---"Nothing shows the difference in the position as to the rights of natives in German and English colonies so much as the administration of justice; the English solemn, carnest, entirely hedged in by guarantees of justice; of the German courts everything without form, and even if the intention to deal out justice be there....everything surrounded with the appearance of force and arbitrariness.

Herr Storz went on to point out that whereas English District Commissioners could decide only minor matters, German officials without judicial training could decide on the life and death of natives subject only to the confirmation of the Governor who would invariably go.

by his subordinate's report. Sir Hugh Clifford, afterwards. Governor of the Straits Settlements, in his official report on Togoland says that the public was excluded from all German courts, every case being practically tried in camera. German magistrates were bound by no criminal code, fur less by any code of criminal procedure, in cases where natives were concerned. The only criminal code in force in Togoland was expressly applicable to Europeans exclusively. In practice this meant that any native, no matter how innocent of an intention to give offence or how unconscious he might be of having done so was liable to be flogged or otherwise punished by almost any German official whom he had the misfortune to displease.

The statements of Deputies like Judge Roeren, Herr Bebel, and others in the Reichstug debates confirmed this, as well as the terrible severity of the punishment inflicted. Deaths caused by floggings were frequent. Not only men, but women and children were liable to flogging. One of the revolts in the Cameroons was caused by Deputy-Governor Kleist ordering the flogging of twenty women, wives of native soldiers, for being lazy. The native soldiery and native police, indeed, were generally given a dangerously privileged position in order to attach them to their rulers. On the other hand the native chiefs themselves were

continually flogged. Do not imagine that it was merely underlings who committed these

brutalities. The very head of the administration could be multy. In 1807, as the result of Reichstag protests, Dr. Karl Peters, then Im-perial Commissioner in German East Africa, was brought before a disciplinary court in Germany on a variety of counts. Evidence was given of terrorism, plunder, the flegging and chaining of women and children, forced concubinage, and murder. The most atrocious of his crimes was the hanging of a native youth, ostensibly for stealing cignrettes, really for visiting Peters's native concubines. One of them had fled for protection to a neighbouring chief, and was alsohanged after having been flogged. day after day until her back resembled 'chopped meat.' Peters was dismissed the service—not for the crimes he had committed, but for giving false reports to his superiors. Subsequently he was granted his pension, and a statue in his honour was erected, at Dar-es-Salaam. Herr Hitler has described him as 'a model, if stern, administrator.' 'A model, if stern administrator'l

Under the government of Herr von Puttkamer in the Cameroons. the Akwa chiefs petitioned to the Reichstag in 1905 against the excessive flogging and ill-treatment of their people, and were promptly arrested and sentenced to long terms of imprisonment for their audacity (Have you ever heard of that happening to persons in Malaya who dared to petition the Secretary of State?). The matter was taken up in the Reichstag, the sentences on the chiefs quashed, and the whole administration of the Colony inquired into, with the result that the Governor was found guilty of 'administrative laxity,' fined £50, and retired.

And there are many other cases which I have no time to mention. In my nightmare I imaginedthe suppression by the Nazis of a rising in Kelantan. Is this fancy or exaggeration too? Listen.

In German South-West Africa there was a tribe of natives called the Hereros. It was the settled policy of the Germans to compel them to work as hired labourers upon the lands they had heretofore owned. To begin with they were allotted cattle reserves. "These cattle reserves," wrote Herr Karl Dove, "are an obstacle to the economic development of the country, for it is without doubt owing to this reason that so few of the Hereros enter the service of Europeans," while the Deutsche Sudwest-afrikanische Zeitung, the German South West Africa Times, stated that "the country must be Inhabited by white colonists. Therefore the natives must disappear, or rather put themselves at the disposal of the whites, or retire into the reserves set apart for

In the end the government deeided that they must disappear, and with characteristic German thoroughness set about causing them to disappear. In the Herero War of 1904-1906 General von Trotha deliberately pursued a policy of extirpation, driving the whole tribe into the Kalahari Desert. At the end of the struggle only 15,000 Hereros were left out of a population of 80,000.

In 1905 the Maji-Maji rising in East Africa led to the killing off by the rifle and by starvation of 120,000 natives.

Before General Von Trotha began his campaign of massacre he issued a proclamation. "The Hereros nation must leave the country. If the people do it not I will compel them with the 'big tube.' Within the country every Herero, with or without a rifle, with or without cattle, will be

Now I have not been raking through the records to find facts discreditable to the German administration. No raking was required. The instances of ruthlessness and cruelty stand out in any account of the German colonization in Africa. "It was impossible in Africa to get on without cruelty," said Herr Dove. All this was before the last war.

In those days there was some democracy in Germany. Humane men could criticize: questions could be asked by Deputies in the Reichstag: Germany was sensitive to world opinion. Since then Blood and Iron have come back into their own. The Nazis make it plain beyond all doubt that the only business of colonies is to serve the arbitrary will of the ruling race. The following words of Hitler have been quoted by His Excellency the Governor. They cannot too often be brought to the notice of those who might forget the Nazl gospel and the intention of the Nazis if they were victori-

"One hears from time to time," says Herr Hitler in "Mein Kampf" "that a negro has become a lawyer, teacher, tenor or the like. This is a sin against all reason. It is criminal lunacy to train a born semi-ape to become a lawyer. It is a sin against the Eternal Creator to train Hottentots and Kailles to intellectual professions." And we need not imagine that Herr Hitler regards Asiatics in a much more favourable light than he does negroes. All who are not Aryans, the Superior Race, are inferior, and all who are not Europenns, even if not semi-apes, areno more than sub-men. We need have no doubt as to what would happen to Malaya under Nazi rule. The Fuchrer's scholarship is confined to the study of invective,

chicanery, and the use of a trowel PLEASE Turn To Page 4.

Labour Chiefs Confer

Seek Anglo-French Co-operation

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-French and British Labour leaders conferred in London on Saturday and Sunday on the problems involved in co-operation between their two countries.

The statement issued at the close of the conference denounced the German contempt for International Law and the freedom of other countries shown in the crime against

Europe's Only Hope The statement continued: "Europe will regain security and peace only when it rids itself of the dictatorship of force. When peace is thus reby victory of the Allled democracies, it can be guaranteed only by strong international institutions which will assure the independence and rights of all peoples, and thus make possible the disarmament of all States."

The French delegates included M. Leon Blum, the former Premier. The British delegates included Mr C. R. Attlee, Mr. Arthur Greenwood and Mr. Herbert Morrison.

Spain Insists On Neutrality Memorandum Issued

By Consul ST. JEAN DE LUZ, May 5 (Reuter) .- Spain's desire to maintain ber neutrality in the present war is emphasised in a memorandum to the

Spanish Consul here. The memorandum, which from the Spanish Ministry of the Interior, refers to "the absurdity" of recent rumours that German' war planes which had been flying over the south western district of France had set out from Spain.

"It is in the vital interests of our Government to frustrate the efforts to destroy the harmony of Franco-Spanish relations-all the more so since imperative reasons, due to our geographical position, oblige us to set aside everything that might endanger the true and sincere sentiments of neutrality," continued the memorandum.

U.S.-Polish Friendship Re-Emphasised By

Roosevelt PARIS, May 5 (Reuter) .- Pre- with 15 officers and 160 men. sident Roosevelt has sent a telegram to the Polish President on the occasion of the Polish national festival, says the Polish telegraph agency.

my sincerest wishes for the continui- are continuing. There has been slight ance of the traditional friendship enemy air activity in this area." existing between the people of the United States and Poland." --- President --- Racziewicz, --- replying,

said that he was deeply touched to receive President Roosevelt's wishes, adding that he "attached the greatest value to the long-standing friendship uniting the Polish people to the people of the United States."

Literature Pogrom

Nazis Order 3,000,000 **Books To Be Burnt**

PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).-German authorities in the Czech Protectorate way. large number of books by Czech able at present are those which come patriots, including the former President, Dr. Eduard Benes, and books on Pan-Slavism, according to a despatch from the Slovak frontier. will have to be destroyed.

rails are being removed and replaced stationed. by old ones on Czech railways owing to Germany's shortage of high quality

BELGIUM NOT A BATTLEFIELD

BRUSSELS, May 5 (Reuter).-The Belgium determination to maintain its neutrality and independence was emphasised again by M. Pierlot in a speech to-day. "Belgium is no longer a battlefield

upon which the quarrels of other people can be settled," he sald. "Her territory is a collection of fortified lines occupied by an army which is ready to do everything for the defence of their homes,'

Must Not Be Nazi Dupe LONDON, May 5 (Reuter),-The Belgian "Peuple" says: "Above all, we must not lose sight of the essen-tial unity of the conflict and not be progressively enter contact with Gerisolate the adversaries and then attack one after the other."

******* Clouds Gather In Mediterranean

LONDON. May 4 (UP).--Ominous clouds are hovering over the Mediterranean Sea where the most powerful battle ficel the Allies have ever gathered is at present concentrated and, as another extension of the war with unpredictable consequences 'appears imminent, British public opinion is undergoing a period of stress unprecedented since the outbreak of war.

To-day's newspapers publish a map illustrating the strategic situation and openly speculating "If Italy Comes Into the War" against the Allies.

The "News Chronicle" urges the Allies "to announce plainly and publicly that the first move by Italy against Yugo-Slavia will find her at war with Britain and France."

The Allied naval movements in the eastern end of the Mediterrancan unless, as is possible, they have been undertaken as a warning deterrent to Mussolini, clearly indicate the Allied Command's anxiety over the spread of war to the Mediterranean basin.

NORWEGIANS TRY TO SMASH WAY

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single Norweglan gun or soldler in Rocros, the authorities attempting to save the town from raids by evacuat-

ing all military units. Wooden houses were shattered, windows broken and telephone and electric power lines torn down by the explosions of the heavy bombs. No Air Raid Shelters

There are no air raid shelters in Rocros and the population, which numbers about 2,000 are completely at the mercy of raiders.

When later the Nazi bomber made second appearance, all telephone communication with Stockholm was cut of.

Rocros Fall Confirmed

STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter) .-According to a communique issued by the Norwegian telegraph agency German troops entered Roeron after the town was bombed from the air for the first early to-day.

A German plane dropped sevon high explosive bombs, hitting two houses, and then opened, machinegun fire.

The population fled towards the suburbs. No lives were lost. Norwegian soldiers had been in Rocros for some days.

Garrison Surrenders

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-The German official news agency states that the Norwegian fortress of Hegre. which was surrounded by German Alpine troops, surrendered to-day Narvik Situation

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter -A War Office communique "There is nothing important to re-The cable says: "Please accept port from Narvik, where operations Heavy Fighting

STOCKHOLM May 5 (Reuter) .-Heavy fighting is reported to be proceeding to-day round Narvik. Allied forces are said to be bombarding German positions both by land and alleged, was shot through the left sea amid a snowstorm.

The Norwegian telegraph agency yesterday flew over Kirkenes and dropped bombs without doing much' damage or causing any loss of life. It is suggested here that the machine was primarily engaged in reconneitring to discover whether any Allied forces from Namsos and An- recurrence of these illegal actions.

dalsnes are transferred to the Kirkenes region, Official Silence LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-Allied and Norwegian official circles are

silent regarding operations in Norhave ordered the destruction of a The only reports which are avail-

from Sweden. The Oslo correspondent of Swedish paper says that all the Newegians in the district surround-It is estimated that 3,000,000 books ing the city have been forbidden to sinking rapidly. go out of doors after dark or to go It is also reported that new iron near places where soldiers are

Nazi Overtures Rejected In Oslo itself the German efforts aimed at ingratiating the population

by opening cinemas and theatres have falled. The Norwegians show no sign of rejoicing because the invaders invite them to, and the best film in Oslo boats. He did not, however, see any draws a "house" of only five people.

In many cases the Norwegians all lenve restaurants as soon as any German party enters. . The correspondent also reports for 30 years has been manager for that the hospitals in Oslo contain a the British Aluminium Company in

work outside the city, digging graves. He said they just escaped with partial" and said that acceptance of Narvik Position Clearer grouping of British, French and Norwegian forces in Norway con-tinues to evolve without incident, according to military circles here.

ly being clarified as Allied troops unit, mun forces. Yesterday for the first time German nireraft intervened in the fighting, bombing a village north of the

ESTERN FRONT WAKES UP

Substantial German Attack Repulsed

PARIS May 5 (Reuter) .--There has been considerable activity on the Western Front during the past two or three

Further details are now given of a German attack in the Blies sector early on Friday morning. After the usual artillery preparations, some 300 Germans advanced on the Front about a mile wide against a small number of French outposts which were hidden in a wood.

They were caught in heavy artillery cross fire and retired in disorder without making any contact with out-

Heavy Nazi Losses French pairols were sent out later to examine the ground. They brought back a quantity of arms and equipment but found that the Ger-

wounded back with them. The German losses are believed to have been heavy although the French losses are described as being insigni-

mans had taken all their dead and

Another raid on Friday night in the Saar region was beaten off by artillery and machine gun fire.

Polish Troops Reviewed PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).-Somewhere behind the Maginot Line yesterday, General Sikorski reviewed the biggest parade yet held of Polish

For two hours he watched hundreds of Pollsh troops march past and later issued an order in which he said: "Units of the Polish Army are nearing battlefield positions to fight the enemy of Poland and of mankind." Outposts Attacked

PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).-An states that last night the enemy attacked three of our outposts with strong forces. The attack took place in the region of the Saar. The enemy were sup-

ported by heavy artillery. Although surrounded, the outposts resisted victoriously until our counter attack, led by light units, drove the

Manchukuo Invaded

Frontier Violation By Soviets Reported

TOKYO, May 6 (Reuter).— A great sensation was created in Hsinking following the revelation of a brush on the eastern border between Russia and Manates: ¦chukuo.

invaded Manchukuo territory Laowengling, in Mutanklang Province, at 7 a.m. on May 4 and fired on five Manchukuo guards, according to a Japanese report from the capital Police Sergeant Shot

A police sergeant, lishimati, it is

About six Soviet soldlers with states that a big German bomber military dogs penetrated into Manchukuo territory near Tungning in the same province at noon and withdrew after reconnoitring along the

The Manchukuo authorities, it is ladded, are paying attention to the

LANSBURY **DYING**

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).— George Lansbury, the venerable pacifist, who is seriously ill in a here. London hospital, is reported to be

SAFE AT LAST FROM NAZIS

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boat hit by a bomb.

Narrow Escape An Englishman, Mr. Turner, who large number of wounded. The Norway, was accompanied by his trenchdigging machines are hard at Norweglan wife and daughter.

their lives from Alesund. He and PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).—Re- nearly a score of others crossed the Norway a vassal state of Germany. North Sea in a small Norwegian fishing boat.

Home Rugger

****************** Namsos Falls

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

To Nazis

BERLIN, May 5 (Reuter) .- A Command communique to-day states..... "Strong forces supported by planes repeatedly attacked our positions at Narvik. The attacks were repulsed in collaboration with German fighter planes.

"From Steinkier our troops advanced northward and Namsos and Grong were taken. The commander of the Norwegian forces in this sector surrendered unconditionally.

"Twenty British planes were found on the aerodrome at Lesleskogan, south-east of Andalanes.

"Mopping up operations are now in progress in the area round Rocros and Trysll."

CABINET NOT TO **BLAME**

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The hope was that it would have Churchil and the Navy not been re- by the eight machine-guns of a the majority of the Cabinet.

On the information now available armaments of a Wellington. this idea appears to be 'without foundation. Consequently the prospect of Mr.

Churchili becoming the spearhend of n new war policy and even of a new Cabinet recedes.

Neutral Opinion Resented

The second consideration is the freedom with which some neutral opinion is arguing that the Allies have let down Norway and will let down any other neutrals who rely upon them after trouble has begun.

Just as the House of Commons on official communique issued to-day Tuesday is capable, if in the mood of forcing some modification of the Government personnel or policy despite the Cabinet having been unanimous on Norway, so even more quickly will it rally to support the Government because of those crilicisms if the Government makes a

really good case. Criticism from neutrals are strongreason that the Allied troops were try. not in Scandinavia before the Germans was the Allies respect for the Scandinavian neutrality policy during and after the Finnish campaign and with the lack of precautions necessarily associated with that policy.

Norway May Be Repeated

Many members are prepared to learn on Tuesday that the same situation must be expected with regard to other areas which might become involved.

Therefore, a section of the House of Commons may prove strongly critical of the Government personnel It is alleged that Soviet soldiers and war policy in its wider aspects and the details of the Norwegian operations. But when presented with more particulars of the Government's difficulties than it has been possible to reveal up to now, coupled with the widesprend resentment at the criticisms by the neutrals, this section will in effect let the Government off with a warning that certain given to-day. lines of dissatisfaction must be heeded and the present political situation will be allowed to remain unchanged for the present.

> most probable result of two days de-The situation, however, might be altered materially if the discussions reveal any new willingness of the

standing invitation to join the Gov-Washington Interest

Opposition parties to accept a long

WASHINGTON, May 5 (Reuter). -The political situation in Great Britain following the Allied withdrawal from southern Norway is being followed with closest attention

Political commentators declare that

the latest developments are causing

real concern in high quarters in Washington. Fears are expressed in some quar-ters that another Allied reverse might

precipitate Japanese action in the Dutch Indies, which might involve the United States. This possibility is reported to be.

worrying officials here.

SECRET N. SEA CROSSING

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Germany's demands would have made North Sea in a small Norwegian fishing boat.
Two Norwegian naval lieutenants new promises. This moral defeat of were on the boat. One of them is Germany is the worst of all. Nobody The situation at Narvik is gradual- niready serving in a British naval will any longer trust German pro-

Never Will Be Slaves

Professor Koht aded: "We say as in 1814, 'No Norwegian will ever LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—Rear Admiral Henry Moore has been appointed a Lord Commissioner of the Naval Staff in succession to Rear Admiral H. Burroughs as from July 25.

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Rusby Union—Aberavon 17, Nowport 18, Driedle 3, Hall-Independence 3, More 19, Hunderseled 3; House 19, Waterington 7; St. Helen's 19, Control 19, More and Well-Deviation 30, Warten 19, More and Well-Deviation 31, More and Well-Deviation 30, Warten 19, More and W

Where Is Nazi Air Force?

Only Feats Performed So Far On Paper

LONDON, May 5 (Renter),— Where is the German air force?" asks the "Spectator," which goes on to discuss the subject.

Why has it not been given the chance to perform some of the marvellous feats claimed on paper? Why does the German High Com-mand sink battleship after battleship on paper and not in fact? So far, the "Spectator" says, the

Germans have been content with tip-

and-run raids, and suggests that this

is because the Nazi pilot lacks con-

fidence in himself and his machine. Sobering Effect

A serious offensive could, be enrricd out by only a few picked squadrons. The fact that over 50 German planes have been brought down off the British coast at the cost of only one fighter, must have a sobering effect.

The Germans now know that it is been found that all would have been wrong to assume that the bomber's well at Trondheim had Mr. Winston | best defence is speed. When faced strained by the Prime Minister and | Spitfire or Hurricane, the crew of a Heinkel bomber must long for the

Canadians Display Their Smartness

Aldershot Inspection

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—The Canadian regiments at Aldershot were reviewed on Saturday by the Earl of Athlone, the new Governor-General to Canada, and Princess

Alice, the Countess of Athlone. They inspected 48 Canadian Highlanders and then watched the Royal Montreal Regiment carry out machine-gun training.

Later, they inspected three other ly resented among the members of regiments—the Canadian Seaforth Parliament whose only information Highlanders, the Edmonton Regiment leads them to believe that the sole and Princess Patricia's Light Infan-

The Rt. Hon. Mr. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner in London, and the Rt. Hon. Mr. Norman Rogers, the Canadian Minister of National Defence, were also present. The party was conducted by Major General McNaughton, the Canadian Commander-in-Chief.

Peace Now Is But Defeat

M.P.'s Appeal Against Pacifist Campaign

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).— 'Any peace made before the military_power_of_the_Nazis_is smashed would be defeat," said Mr. J. Jagger, M.P., in a speech

"We are fighting for our very existence," he said, "Either the military power of the Nazls must be This, at present, appears to be the broken or we shall be broken by it. Liberty's Death Warrant

"Every vote given to a 'Stop the War' resolution is another signature on liberty's death warrant. "In this hour when all we believe in is in deadly perll, I appeal to all to vote against such resolutions with such a large majority that the Fascists, Communists and pseudo-Pacifists will realise their insigni-

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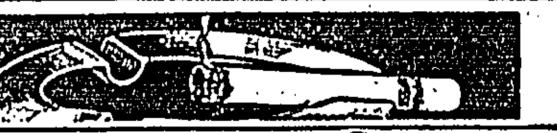
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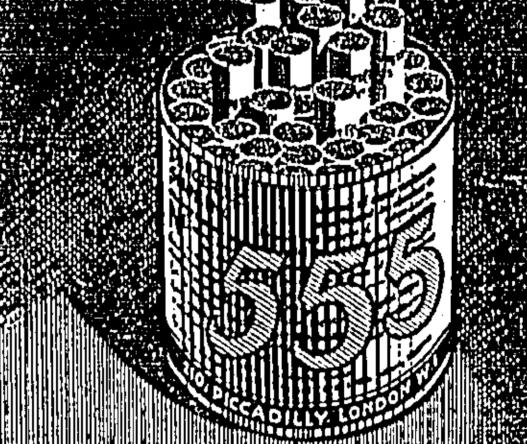
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May 6, 1940.

MONDAY MORNING COMMENTARY NAVY-EASTERN GAME DISAPPOINTS

Poor Passing Spoils Approach Work: Navy Defeated By 4-3

(By "Rex")

The Royal Navy, conquerors of South China "A" and "B", met the Eastern team, recently returned from a successful tour of the Philippines, in a disappointing display for two teams who have gained such renown in local soccer circles, at were seen in action. N. Z. Lee, Lido and Shanghai centre-half, at left-back and C. T. Tsao, Lido final. and Shanghai left-wing, at inside-left.

Lastern played listless football in the first half, at the end of which the score was tied at 1-1. Play was brisk in the second half, and some good constructive football was

exhibition at goal despite the ball, while Lee Tack-kee was never four goal deficit. He displayed seen as a leader. keen anticipation and remarkable agility to save point-blank MINUTES from the whistle a nice angled shots in fine style.

excellent. There were times, how- a point-blank shot which ever, when they were invelified into cleverly saved. Luckadaisical play false positioning. Roughly, by his predominated, and much construcamazing speed, was able to rectify his live work was spoiled on either side mistakes, while Honiwell was not so by lazy passes.

Honeywell was the best half, de- Hendy received from O'Regan to Kumaons A beat Royal Engineers A. fence and attack, in the first half fumble his way past N. Z. Lee and and kept Eastern's left flank well beat Lau at close range. From this Middlesex A, and Kumaons beat covered. In the second he allowed reverse, Eastern made great efforts Royal Scots A. them too much scope in his anxiety to wake from their lethargy, but it to concentrate solely on his for- was not till the close of the first half teams:

HENDY HARDEST WORKER FEPAGE was the best forward on

L view in the first half. In the second, with O'Regan, they plerced the stolld defence of Eastern to give them some anxious moments. Hendy was the hardest worker throughout the match and fully deserved his two goals. Lau Hin-hon 'appeared pre-

occupied and was not his usual safe

obstacle for Navy. Cheng was the n well placed shot. Eastern were

path goalwards. Ng Chi-tsiang and Danielle up for a foul on Hendy, and ed in a win for the team captained Lo Wai-kuen lent him excellent that the net the sect. support, Ng being the better com- shot taken at the spot. bination of skill and power.

Cheung Kum-hol was the best forward, and executed many of the Chung. Chung's centre was fisted their victory. T. C. Tsao and Hau out by Robinson for Hau to obtain Ching-to formed the most dangerous left flank, and showed excellent understanding of state excellent was a state of the could get back into his mrs. Bliss' team beat understanding of each other's play. gonl. Chung Yung-sum was hardly ever

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

THE FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 11th and MONDAY. 13th May, 1940, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on Saturday, and at 12.30 p.m. on Monday.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. on the First Day and at 12.00 NOON on the Second Day. The Timn Interval will be after the second race (1.00 p.m.) on the Second

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE The temporary green cardboard badges are now cancelled and will no longer procure admission to the ed were:

Enclosure.

No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. duration of each Meeting in such a R. C. Swansen O; Bournemouth 1, West averages for the year were; manner as to be readily identified.

Bromich 2; Birmingham 2, Reading 0. the Members' Enclosure and Club ter United 2: Barrow 0, Stoke 2. Rooms at \$5.00 per day for Gentlemen and \$3.00 per day for Ladies (both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the sible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of all Chile,

The Secretary's Office, 1st floor. Exchange Building, (Tel. 27794) will Lincoln 3, Notta County 4; Mansfield 4, F. A. Curreem. close at 11.45 a.m. on the First Day Grimsby 1. and at 10.45 a.m. on the Second Day. Timns are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including

Tax, for all Persons, including Ludies, 2, Liverpool 4. and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sallors in Uniform are admitted Half Price. By Order,

C. B. BROWN, Hongkong, 6th May, 1940.

Robinson gave a sparkling seen, being continually robbed of the

NAVY OPEN SCORE

IVA movement by O'Regan an Navy's defence was at most times Thoburn saw the latter test Lau with

> that Cheung caused Robinson to go full length to partially save his shot, ley, N. B. M. Whitley; S. A. Fowler, G. the ball striking the upright and being deflected inwards.

> Hendy led a determined Navy raid on Eastern area, and culminated a ley, Pte. Pearson; Pte. Jackson, fine piece of dribbling to beat Lau Sheehan, Pte. Coomer with a nice hook shot. Eastern drew level after many minutes. Hsu drew Nichols and passed him to send a long lob to Tsao. Tsao ' trapped, cluded Honiwell to give the ball to Hau for the latter to run in and beat Sgt. Waldron; Bdms. John, Edms. Hymns Robinson with a nice rising shot. Eastern continued their pressure and Hsu again broke through to Homburg, Cpl. Taylor.

better of the two, clearing strongly.

Hsu King-sing was the best half

Tsao and Hau combined well, and on view. He vaulted, dribbled and with Cheung, made rings round forced his way through Navy de- Navy players. -In-one-of-Navy's-raids, Cheng-was, Saturday at King's-Park, and result-

Eastern drew ahead soon after players did not arrive, and as a result

through Hau, who was the tailend the four teams of six-a-side took the of a nice movement by Cheung and field.

Eastern .- Lau Hin-hon; Cheng Yingkuen, N. Z. Lee; Lo Wal-kuen, Hsu Kingseng, Ng Chi-tsang; Chung Yung-sum, Cheung Kam-hoi, Darky Lee, C. T. Tsao and Hau Ching-to.
Royal Navy.—Robinson, Roughly, Honi-well; Honeywell, Nichols, Britt; Phippens, LePage, Hendy, Thoburn and O'Regan.

GLASGOW RANGERS WIN SCOTTISH CUP FINAL

Glasgow Rangers defeated Dun- were mainly nevelty races. dee United by one goal to nil in the Scottish Cup Fnal yesterday. Results of other matches play- by A. R. Markar.

ENGLISH LEAGUE CUP South A.-Leicester 1, West Ham Norwich 1, Fulham 1; Notts Forest Southend 1: Arsensal 3, Crystal Palace 1. South B.—Wolves 0, Coventry 2; Bristol North A.-Everton 5, Rochdalo 1; Burn-Radges admitting Non-Members to | ley 1, Blackpool 2; Blackburn 1, Manchesderland 0, Leeds 0; Barnsley 3, Sheffield United 0; Middlesbrough 2, Newcastle 2. REGIONAL MATCHES South B.-Brighton 3, Queen's Park

personal or written application of a South G.—Brentford 2, Tottenham 3; Member, such Member to be respon- Miliwail 4, Charlton 2; Portsmouth 3, Rangers 1.

Midland .- Luton 3. Walsall 4. East-midland Chesterfield 0, Rotherham Western.-Port Valo 3, Chester 1; Tran-mere 1, Manchester City 6; Wrexham 4, North-Western -- Preston 1, Rollon Bury 7, Accrington 0. South-western.—Newport 4, Bristol City 1: Swindon 1. Torquay 3. North-eastern -- York 3, Bradford 2.

Chelmsford 5, Southampton 1; Oldham SCOTTISH REGIONALS Western-Albion 2, Queen O'South Dumbarton 0, Airdrie 1; Bt. Mirren

Friendles-Wellington o, New Brighton Shipp and D. M. Khan.

Eastern Arbroath 0, Raith 2; Dundee 7, St. Johnstone 2; East Fife 1, Hearts 2; Secretary. Alloa 0; Stenhousemuir 0. Aberdeen 0;

"A" TROUNCE RECREIO CRAIGENGOWER C.B.A. Win

Final Hockey

Tournament

Six-a-side Matches

Held At King's Park

of the Hongkong hockey season,

THE FINAL TOURNAMENT

C.B.A. A defeated Submarines

A. Queen's College, Kowloon Indian

Tennis Club, and Middlesex A to reach the final, and the Kumaons A

beat Nomads A, Royal Corps of

Signals A. Royal Engineers A, and

THE FINAL

THE FINAL, on the Navy ground

was full of excitement, and the slight

drizzle which fell while it was in

progress did not make play easier for

the players, due to the slippery

ground, G. H. Fowler scored both

In the quarter-finals, Middlesex

Association A beat the K.I.T.C.,

C.B.A. "A" .-- V. C. Bond; T. S. D. Whit-

Singh, Krishina Singh; Lall Singh, Nerain

Royal Scots A .- Major Harland; Band-

master Jordan, Capt. Douglass; Cpl. Devereux, Cpl. Hitchcock, Ptc. Meikle.

K.I.T.C.-Karnall Singh; Kalwant Singh,

Bagh Singh; Pyara Singh, Mohinder

Croston, L/Cpl. Shaw: Sgt. Denyer, L/Sgt.

Andrew's seven-a-side tourney on

Bliss' team by a solitary goal. Several

Miss J. Wong's team beat Miss F.

Mrs. Bliss' tenm bent Miss Reid's

Miss J. Wong's team beat Mrs.

INDIAN R.C.

ANNUAL SPORTS

MEETING

was held at Sookunpoo yesterday

The 100 yards champlenship was

At the conclusion of the meet, the

prizes were distributed by Mrs. R.

bowls tournaments and the cricket

ners-up, A. Rohmin and I. Kitchell.

and S. Yusuf; Runners-up, T. All and

LAWN BOWLS

Singles Championship. - D.

and S. M. Ruminhn; Runners-up, C.

john, A. Makar, D. M. Khan and A.

Khan; Runner-up, A. R. Minu.

ner-up, M. I. Razack.

M. R. Abbas.

Runner-up, D. M. A. Razack.

team by a goal.

Bliss' team by a goal.

goals for the C.B.A.

Three Close Matches Feature League's Opening Programme

CRAIGENGOWER sustained their greatest beating Causeway Bay ground yesterday, and lost three won by the Central British Asso- in years when they lost to the Club de Recreio "A" in the goals to four. Two of Shanghai's "star" players ciation at King's Park yesterday, First Division of the Lawn Bowls League on Saturday by when their "A" team beat the 78 shots to 44. Though the result was not a surprise the Kumaon Rifles "A" 3-1 in the margin of defeat was. This score, however, was not the | largest-Kowloon Football Club totalled 84 shots against competition, and four grounds—the Indian R.C. in the Third Division, but won by a smaller C.B.A., the Y.M.C.A., the Navy and the Recreio grounds-were occupied. margin.

Kentucky Derby Upset

CHURCHILL DOWNS, Louisville, May 4 (UP).—In the greatest upset in the history of the race and before beat Middlesex B, Central British a crowd of 90,000, the largest to witness a horse race in the United States. W. Carr (Kowloon C.C.), J. T. After some pressure by Navy, Royal Scots A beat 36th. Battery, and Gallahadlon won the Kentucky Derby

Bimelech, the favourite, was a In the semi-finals, C.B.A. A beat second, a length behind, and Dit was There were eight starters, the The following were the last eight

Roman, Royal Man and Pictor. The first prize was U.S. \$60,000, gower C.C. 78-44 at King's Park. and the winner paid its backers H. Fowler, M. Dunne.

H. Fowler, M. Dunne.

Kunnons A.—Gusseln Singh: Kishen \$72.40, \$13.80 and \$4.80.—United the Kowloon C.C. 78-53 on the

Reuter says Gallahadion won by second and third. The betting was Gallahadion 25/1, Bimelech 1/2, and F.C. 71-53 at King's Park.

CINCINNATI BEAT NEW YORK GIANTS NEW YORK, May 5 (Reuter) .-

New York Giants by 3-2 in the National Baseball League to-day. Four teams participated in the St. The complete results were: NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York 2 Cincinnati 3 AMERICAN LEAGUE Boston 1 7 Philadelphia 5 10

Three close games were played. In the First Division, though they won on two rinks; the Indian Recreation Club went down by four shots to the Civil Service C.C., while the Kowloon! Docks R.C. bent the Police R.C. by two shots, and in the Third Division, Craigengower overcame to 7-8. the Kowloon B.G.C. by five shots. Sixes were recorded by G. C. Moss (Kowloon, C.C.), J. E. Noronha (Recreio "B"), C. G. Silva (Recreio Rowing Regatta

'A"), A. R. Minu (Indian R.C.), L. A. Collyer (Civil Service C.C.), T. Smalley (Kowloon F.C.), B. D. Evans (Kowloon F.C.), and K. C. Hamilton (Kowloon B.G.C.). The results were:

FIRST DIVISION

Club de Recrelo "A" beat Craigen-Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat The Civil Service C.C. beat

two lengths, while inches separated Indian R.C. 67-63 at Happy Valley. Recreio "B" beat the Hongkong Kowloon Docks R.C. beat the Police 59-57 at Hunghom. SECOND DIVISION .

72-54 at Happy Valley. The Kowloon B.G.C. beat Kowloon Tong 64-46 at Kowloon Tong.

Taikoo R.C. beat Craigengower

Kowloon C.C. beat the The Cincinnati Reds nosed out the Service C.C. 69-45 at King's Park. THIRD DIVISION Kowloon F.C. beat the Indian R.C. 84-57 at Chatham Road.

B.G.C. 56-51 at Kowloon. POSTPONED GAMES

_Craigengower_beat_the_Kowloon

The following matches were post-(Keltner homered for the Indians). Second Division.—Police v. Kowloon F.C.; Hongkong C.C. v. Club de Recrelo. Third Division.—Hongkong Electric

(McNair homered for the White R.C. v. Hongkong C.C.; Prison Sox, and Hayes for the Athletics). Officers v. Hongkong F.C.

A SECOND EXHIBITION of Australian Rules, the famous Australian football game, was given by the Naval Reservists at the Police Football ground yesterday, and the game attracted a fair crowd of spectators. The match was between the two ships in the harbour. The teams were even, and the score concluded 8-8

L.T.A. Refuse Women's

Plea For "Wimbledon"

THE Lawn Tennis Association has refused an application from Queen's Club to stage a women's "Wimbledon" this summer although most of the

women stars have supported the scheme enthusiastically. The L.T.A. has,

Led by Lord Aberdare, chairman of the National Fitness Committee, the Queen's Club officials were planning to hold their annual grass court

open tournament not only to balance their books—a feat that can be managed only with the help of the profits—but to keep alive the interest in the game. They had been promised the assistance of the leading men

AUSTRALIAN RULES

EXHIBITION BY

NAVAL RESERVES

players, most of whom are now serving in the Forces.

in fact, banned all open events.

G. Eastgate Wins Open Sculls

were held at 'Deep Water Bay on field-similar to those in rugby-and Saturday, and though the weather was rather against, interest was high of the game. and competition keen. The final of the Open Sculls brought a surprise. G.S.P. Heywood, former holder of encounter, was the heavier, if not the the Challenge Cup, was beaten over faster, was stronger in its kicking the half-mile by G. Eastgate. During the day, G. S. P. Heywood

coxed two winning boats and G. G. S. Thompson and Hopkins one each. dinner dance was held at Repulse Macfarlan gave a very neat, speedy Grasset presented the prizes won during the season.

THE RESULTS

Open Sculls,-G. L. Eastgate beat G. S.

P. Heywood.

Club Fours.—1. Brewer's crew (N. J. Moodle. J. Olsen, G. J. P. Carey. H. Doyle, Hammond, Davidson, Atkin-Brewer and H. F. Hopkins, cox): 2. East gate's crew (K. Nelson, J. Eager, G. Padgett, G. Eastgate, and A. G. Dalziel, cox): 3. N. D. Booker's crew (J. Dunnett, L. Ongstad, W. Corneck and J. C. McDouall, latitude but never allowed the game Junior International Fours.—1, England (N. J. and N. D. Booker, G. J. P. Carey. McEwan, C. McCormack and A. G. DalII. E. Brewer and G. S. P. Heywood, cox);
2, Scotland (J. Dunnett, A. Mack, C. third.

The comparative smallness of the football ground was against the game, but though the opening minutes saw some ragged play, the players soon adapted themselves to the circumstances and the closing stages brought forth an excellent demonstration of the game. The main feature of the game is

the spectacular pass-kleking. High marking-when players leap high into the nir to collect these pass-kicks -were more successful as the game kong Yacht Club's rowing regatta proceeded. Tricky runs down the **HEAVIER TEAM**

THE WHITE TEAM, which won the and surer in high marking. Richardson's long punts were outstanding and Glendenning and Nicholson were way ahead of most of the others in After the Regatta a most enjoyable robust but clever play. Besler pullof good goals and Sullivan was also prominent.

Following were the results:
International Pairs—England (B. S. Carter, J.-B.—Colls—and G. S. P. Heywood, cox) beat Australia (K. B. Nelson, G. L. Ensigate and A. G. Dalziel, cox).
International Fours.—Scotland (A. G. Dalziel, T. Swan, J. Moodie, J. McDouati and G. G. Stopani-Thompson, cox) beat England (B. S. Carter, F. Thompson, J. Potter, J. B. Colls and G. S. P. Heywood.

Reams were:
Whites.—Crowle, McLaggan, Richardson, Sullivan, Ferrari, Loats, white, Glendenning, Spicer, Kerley, Besler, Johnson, Oxworth, Walker, Hogg, Nicholson, Vivian, Macfarlan, Davidson (19), Gravelly (20).

Colours.—Andrews, Finch, Waters, McPherson, Edwards, Hailstones, McPherson, Edwards, Hailstones,

Teams were:

Summers, Law, Hubbard, Evans, Howe, Dwyer, McLaren, Tredrea,

to get beyond him.

WOMEN'S NATIONAL RECORDS BROKEN

THE FINAL DAY of the All-Schools and Open THE NINTH annual athletic meet- Athletic Meet at Caroline Hill on Saturday saw the ing of the Indian Recreation Club breaking of two women's China National records in the and a great keenness was predomin- 50 metres and Throwing the Baseball. Miss Ip-Kam-LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) - ant throughout the events, which chen, of True Light Girls College, clocked 6.7 seconds for the 50 metres, and Miss Ma Mok-kit threw the baseball won by K. Singh, closely followed 54.50 metress. The previous records were 6.8 seconds, and 54.45 metres respectively. D. H. Taylor, of the Police,

won his triple in the Open Winners of the various tennis and events, gaining first place in the javelin throw, having already won the discus throw and the shot putt. Miss June Hall, too, secured her Singles championship. — H. D.

Rumjahn; Runner-up, A. R. Kitchell, third victory, winning the 50 metres Doubles Championship.—S. A. dash—having already won the 200 Rumjahn and U. A. Rumjahn; Run- and 100 metres events. At the conclusion of the meet, Mr. Junior Singles,-I, Kitchell; Run- Ngan Shing-kwan, Persident of the

Handleap Singles.-U.A. Rumjahn; presented the prizes. FINAL TEAM STANDINGS Handlenp Doubles .- S. A. R. Bux of the various schools: Boys' "A" grade.-1, Lam Nam

College (62 points); 2, La Salle Col-

lege (29); 3, Wah Yan College (20). Boys' "B" grade,-1, Wah Yan Col- No. 11 and run at 6.30 p.m. lege (52); 2, Pul Ying College (26); Pairs Championship. - A. Bakar 3, Industrial School (4). Boys' "C" grade,-1, Pul Ying College (39); 2, Lim Ying College (7); through" chances will not parti-Rinks Championship.—A. H. Rum- 3, St. Joseph's College (5).

cipate, and tickets can be purchasthe college (5).

Cipate, and tickets can be purchasthe college (5). R. Minu; Runners-up, A. K. Sumad, Girls' College (49); 2, St. Paul's the Meeting. A. M. Rumjahn, S. M. Rumjahn and Girls' College (28); 3, Fong Nam. Girls' College (14). Girls' "B" grade-1, True Light 1st XI,-Batting, M. P. Madar; Girls' College (86); 2, Sau Nam Girls' College (19); 3, Chee Hang Girls' Bowling, A. R. Minu; A. H. Madar, College (11).

SPORT ADVTS. THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB NOTICE TO MEMBERS

FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING,

GREEN ISLAND HANDICAP

2nd Day-Monday, 13th May In view of the number of Following were the final standings entries received for the above, it has been decided to divide the race into three sections. The third section will be race

A cash sweep, tickets \$5 each. will be held on this race but "All cipate, and tickets can be purchas-

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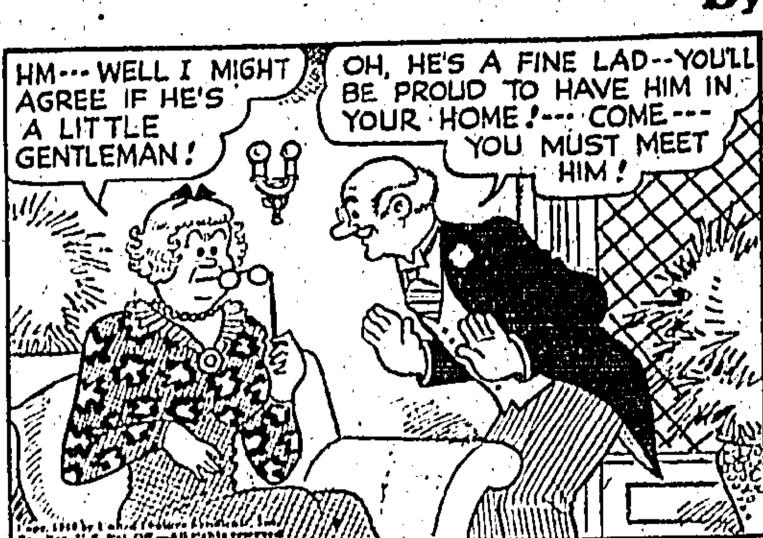


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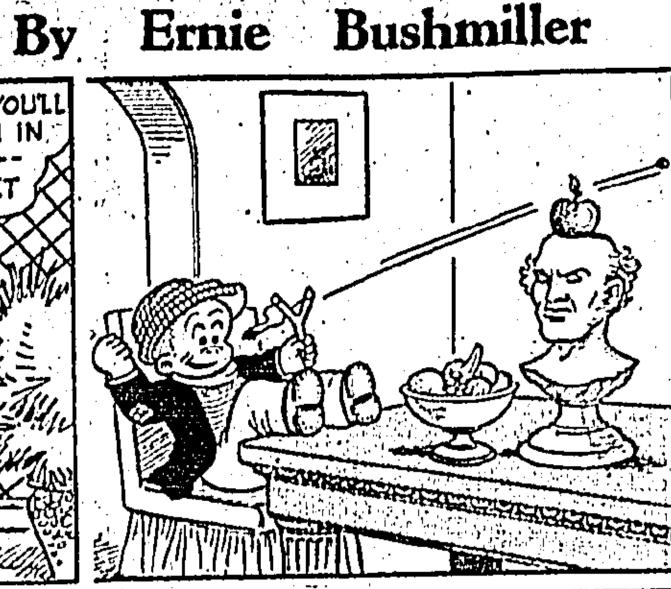
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Monday,



24,000 - Mile Trip to Say Goodbye

A vicar and his wife have returned home from a 24,000mile journey which they took Just to say "Goodbye."

They are the Rev. W. H. Chamberlain, the new vicar of Gretton, Northants, and former vicar of Holy Trinity, Melbourne, Australia, and Mrs. Chamberlain.

Last autumn, when the Chamberlains were on holiday in England, the Lancashireborn vienr was offered the Gretton living.

"All right," he said, "but we must first sny goodbye to our Melbourne people."

Hammocks Saved Warship

WHEN the destroyer Eclipse was attacked and

told of their experiences.

Saved By Zigzagging Stoker David Long, of Princes Soon afterwards Adolf had his first Street, Devonport, said: "We were English meal at the Blue Cross Kenbombed four times, but by zigzagging nels, Charlton, where he will be kept we finally managed to get out of the in quarantine for six months.

first indication we had that the ship Adolf like his breakfast? had suffered damage was when someone came up and said that we had casualties.

bulkheads, using hammocks and German doggy language means, 'All's

barrage of firing from some other ships kept the Nazis at a distance. "A vessel took us from the lifeboats. Later we were transferred to another_ship_which_had_taken_the Eclipse in tow.

Nazis made off. "Our captain, Lieut.-Commander

Clark, remained on the Eclipse with the navigating party when we were in tow."

Thirty Seamen Freed at Narvik

freeing of 30 British seamen during has settled down and is enting well. the Narvik action was revealed by At present Adolf favours fish and men of H.M.S. Hardy, who left a ship's biscuits rather than meaty Southern port for their homes this bones. Seafaring fare, week-end on special leave.

During the three days stay of the Hardy survivors at Ballengen, a bull terriers belonging to General Sir little Norwegian coast town about 18 Edmund Ironside, Chief of the Imperial General Staff. merchant seamen arrived.

News Chronicle, as the result of the beyond the bars of his kennel Dixie action by the Hardy, and later the and Marina register deep-throated attack led by H.M.S. Warspite. disapproval. "We never really made contact with them," he added. "They were taken away by the Navy."

have not yet reached home. Some of their wives watched for were safe.

They left by the next boot, and spent a fortnight in Melbourne with the Holy Trinity congregation.

Then, so that they could get back for the vienr's induction at Gretton on time they returned to England by air . . . a round journey of 24,-000 miles.

"It was worth every bit of the trouble and expense," Mr. Chamberlain said: "My word was pledged to my old flock and I had to see them again. We both feel we did the right

"It was splendid to see our friends just once more," said

Mrs. Chamberlain. Now the Chamberlains are going to settle down in one of Northamptonshire's quietest and prettiest villages. The parish has about 700 inhabitants.

GANG

THE Crazy Gang boasts that, it will defy the law.

Old-fashioned legislation still restricts Sabbath amusements so

VERBOTEN

THERE will be no more "Heil Hitler!" in Viennese military hospitals. Doctors say the greeting sends up patients' tempera-

allow a comedian to wear a comic moustache on a Sunday, even if he is appearing for charity. He can crack his usual gags, and

sing his usual songs. But he must not wear make-upl Well, Will Hay is organising a matince at the Prince of Wales's Theatre on behalf of a fund to provide clothes for evacuated children and comforts for the troops.

Rope Trick Among the stars who will appear rope trick scene from "The Little Dog "You accept food which is

"We can't do it without make-up," navy." Naughton is made up as an Indian.

They are being cared for by Our It is long overdue, for the present Dumb Friends' League, which took restrictions are absurd. over the Blue Cross Kennels on I think we should stop Hitler-not Armistice Day, November 11, 1918. the Crazy Gang.

Dog, Is Interned

Our Dumb Friends' League ob- been evacuated to the country. tained official permission to take him

off the ship. The menu was milk and glucose "I was on the upper deck, and the and a juicy marrow bone. And did

No Landlubber

"Wau-wau!" he barked to Bob "Some of us went to shore up the Marks, his kennelman. (Which in "During the attack a terrific lubber-he's a real sea-dog.) In the next kennel is July, another

dog from Germany. Her master is an English business man, who returned to this country before war broke out. _"We-put-them_next_door_to_one another because—well, perhaps dogs

near the stern of our escort the do have a language of their own," said Mrs. Porter, manageress of the "In that case, Judy will be able to speak broken German to Adolf."

Mr. M. G. Byerley, the quarantine veterinary surgeon, has pronounced Adolf "quite fit, but in need of a good grooming." An episode which resulted in the He will not have a bath until he

> Belligerent . In two kennels nearby are the two

Marina and Dixie are belligerent They had been in the hands of the animals, and they keep a weather Germans, but had been set free, eye cocked in Adolf's direction.

Edwin Harper, of Devonport, told the Whenever his pink nose appears

them in vain outside Devonport dock-About 90 of the Hardy survivors yard, but shipmates were able to assure the women that their husbands

MINEFIELDS

BOYHOOD

A NINETEEN-YEAR-OLD Navy man has travelled 3,500 miles and grimly staved off a serious operation to Eastern tribunal. keep a promise he made to a chum when he was nine years partly to escape serving in Hitler's

The promise was to be best man at his friend's wedding. His pal has co-operated. Twice the wedding has been postponed

THE BARON HIS **USED** THE. FLOOD

A BARON, sued at Westminster county court for possession of a flat Dickenson Road, Islington, said he had to stand for hours there sweeping water, with a broom.

said. "It lasted 40 days and 40 could not get home in time.

nights." He was Baron von Reiffensteln, and £20 11s. 3d. rent arrears. The operation until his ship came home, was forthcoming. In addition, secret baron counter-claimed for £25 for or have it in the hospital in West transport movements make the Nordamage to property through water Africa. running from the flat above. Mr. T. A. Lewthwalte' (for the

Noah's flood he is talking about. Judge Earengey (to the Baron): ship, he decided to risk coming to troops in camps outside Namsos."—
It all sounds rather Biblical. I don't England. want you to put poetry into the case. counter-weapons have been dis- nights water was literally coming

The Baron: Yes. It began to

Heavy guns that can/be fired by Mr. Lewthwaite put it to the baron | Lying propped up in bed, Albert Fred promise. that the main tap was on his pre- said: "Although we were only kids, The time is not for distant when mises and he could have shut off the the pact was quite solemn." amid hundreds of soldiers—and he submarine tanks may roll out of the water at any time. He had only to And then he revealed that when

I. The hearing was adjourned.

,so that the vow could be keptthe second time because that operation had to take place. The boy who made the vow is now Naval Gunner Albert Mullineaux

He is lying in the Royal Naval Hos-pital at Plymouth. The story goes back to a day when two little boys were walking home

from school through the village of Edlington, near Doncaster. As they from northern Norway state there passed the village church they saw a was serious dissension between the

my best man." At Christmas last year, one of draw their troops unless the French

them. Frederick Goodson, twenty, agreed. who still lives at Edlington, wanted to get married. He wrote to his friend, Albert, who British units arrived Norwegian enwas many miles away serving in a gineers have been busy rebuilding

He Took Risk Soon after, Albert was told that he did no work. On Wednesday the who was sued by Mr. Bertie Holden, would have to undergo an operation. Norwegians put the direct question to company director, of Lowther Road. He could either be sent home to Eng- the French as to when they would Hollowny, for possession of the flat land straight away, wait for the take over the work, but no answer

> He-thought of Fred and his pro- intended to withdraw from Namsos mise. And although he knew it and Bandsund. Troop transportation meant a rough passage home, without was made during the night and both the expert medical attention he could marching columns and motor cars receive if he travelled in his own were observed concentrating Allied

He wrote telling Fred he would be fit by Easter. Three times during the journey home he was taken ill and it was feared that he might have to be put

ago he reached England. Then he learned that he would not

Bombs which can be controlled years on my agreement but I had will be going home to Yorkshire on man at the wedding.

> Fred and he made the vow there was Said Albert: "I was taking that little girl home from school. And I a best man,

WellCommit Suicide"

JUDGE RICHARDSON with him are Will Fysic, Clapham said to a conscientious objecand Dwyer, the Two Leslies and the Crazy Gang, the last named in its tor at Newcastle Tribunal. brought at risk by the merchant

In this scene, Chesney Allen is dressed in the European clothes worn in India, and a pith helmet. Carlie Naughton is made a pith helmet. Carlie mede-avenue Tour Fall "You may as well if you are not

is wrong," she added, "but it does not

finitely made up his mind." The tribunal reserved its decision on his appeal against registration for non-combatant service.

Twenty-four-year-old Hans Albert Lindl, of Stormont-road, Hitchin, Herts, a British subject, has an English mother and a German father.

He came to England, five years ago, military service on conscientlous grounds in the event of war. grant his application.

SERIOUS DISSENSION

Stockholm, May 5. The Social Demokraten reports iding.
"When I grow up and get mar- at Namsos for some time before the ried," said one, "I want you to be Allied withdrawal. The British and French staffs are reported to have "Yes," said the other, "and that disagreed on the methods used by goes for you, too. Let's make it a the Allies in the Norwegian campaign and the British threatened to with-

Typical of this dissension, the correspondent reports "ever since the warship. Fred decided to postpone Namsos harbour. It was agreed that "I never saw such a flood," he the wedding when Albert said he the French, immediately after their arrival, should take over this work. Day after day passed but the French

Reich Domands Denied

Stockholm, May 5. A foreign Press report that Germany has sent Sweden a note deashore for an immediate operation. manding delivery to the Reich of a But he stuck it out, and a fortnight major portion of her exports on credit till the end of the war and that she should employ German technicians in her mines and transport organisations is declared by authoritative circles to be without

> was thinking of her when I made "When the war is over, I shall be getting Fred to keep his part of the bargain. And it will be the little girl who was with us who will be

my bride." Meanwhile Albert is waiting to be

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nammocks and would were stuffed into a gap to keep out the water.

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Paris, you have not changed. It ain't necessarily so. Sweethearts. Waltz. B8676-Castanet. Espana, That sentimental sandwich. Spaulsh gipsy dance. Hands across the sea. At dawning. army and partly to be exempted from B8663.—In a Persian marketBoston Promenade Orch.

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B.E.F. He realised in the bout train that crossing the Channel he would probably be the only naval officer. might he sea-sicki

ly on that occasion, he escaped being "winning the war" are sent to Bri- inps and stopcocks are.

covered in Britain since the war down on you?

Most of them are official secrets. Rear-Admiral T. B. Drew, of the But I can reveal that among the Malnyn Command, confessed to a latest discoveries being developed by

> "Unsinkable" battleships: Anti-aircraft rockels:

by radio to explode at a given surrendered to force, majeure and the Tuesday after Easter to be best remote control.

sen on to an enemy shore. Admiral Drew said that, fortunate- | Every week, about 500 ideas for The Baron: I, don't know what a little girl there too. tain's scientific headquarters.

TO BEAT PLANES landlord) remarked: "If this MINEFIELDS IN THE AIR MAY HELP SOON TO STOP An effective method of "sowing" the mines in the sky has A number of new weapons and Do you mean that for 40 days and 40

trickle through in the first week of January. The celebrated flood took Singapore audience that he was liable the Department of Scientific Research place about the end of the month and be out of hospital by Easter. So it continued to come through until Fred postponed the wedding again. I left the premises on February 24. The Little Girl I wanted to stay there for the three Now the operation is over, Albert foundation .- Reuter.

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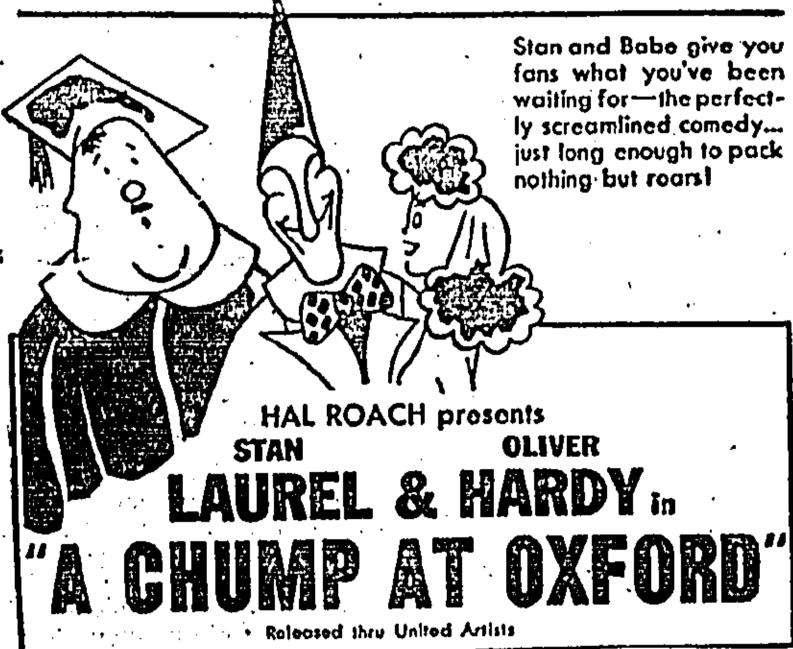
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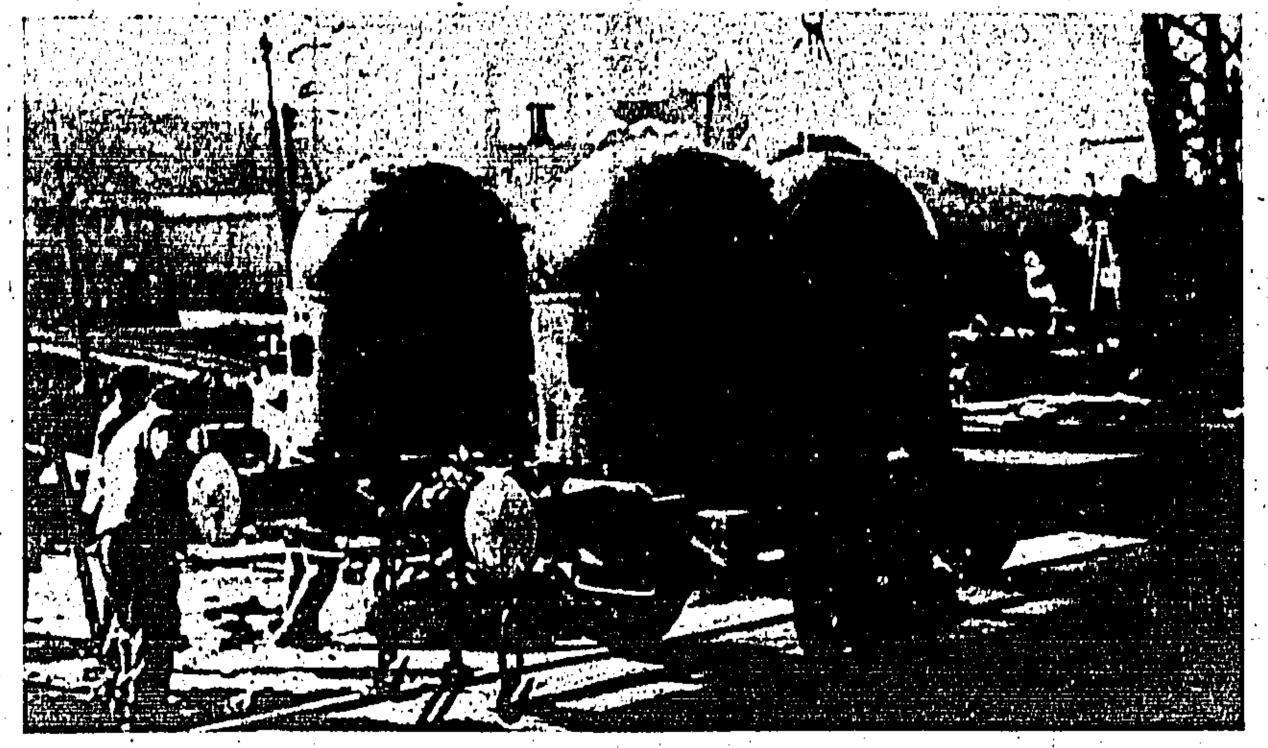
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FRENCH mines en route from the factories for a position somewhere in the North Sea.— French Official Photograph.

MANY aliens living around the East Coast of England have been moved to inland towns following a big round-up of foreigners by Britain's counter-espionage men.

All around the coast there is a disquieting belief that enemy agents-registered as "friendly aliens"-have been using their homes on the coastal roads to communicate the movement of ships to Germany.

Colonel H. W. Burton, M.P. for Sudbury, Suffolk, believes that their signals to aircraft have led to the destruction of British ships on their way to join convoys.

Washing Code

He raised the matter in the House of Commons during the shipping signal from the ground to an aero-plane the time of departure of a ship for her rendezvous with a convoy,

south or east and west to convey a 35 iven meaning to the enemy.
"I was able to give the Govern-spinsters, far above that before 1914, given meaning to the enemy. which I believe they have taken cer-tein action, and which they were able

vantage to the country."

- False Number It has been established that a dark-1 coloured Ford V8 motor-car for which | The City of London returned a the police are searching is carrying marriage rate nearly six times as a registration number issued to a car high as the average for England and of different make.

The car was used recently by average were found. two men who were reported to have been seen taking photographs in the lief that many persons who usually neighbourhood of gun-sites in Essex. live in the provinces or abroad come occupants.

AIR FORCE CASUALTY LIST

The Air Ministry regrets to announce the following casualties on various dates:---

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Ball, Leading Aircraftman J. B.; Brierley, Pilot Officer P. D. D.; Perry, Pilot
Officer J. G.: Stapledon, Pilot Officer I.;
Wetion, Sergeant W. J.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED "MISSING,
BELIEVED KILLED," NOW REPORTED
KILLED IN ACTION

Cole, Sergeant W. F. L.
WOUNDED OR INJURED IN ACTION

Crulkshank, Aircraftman, 2nd Class W. G. J. Garrett, Flying Officer J. R.; Mar-shall, Sergeant E.; Strawson, Corporal H. J.; Walton, Leading Aircraftman J. MISSING

Boxall, Flying Officer C. H.; Hamman, Aircraftman First Class A. C.; Harries, Flying Officer G.; Kelleway, Sergeant H. H.; Martin Leading Aircraftman W. W.; Podger, Sergeant L.; Wilson, Sergeant D. W.; Wolverson, Leading Aircraftman E.

KILLED ON ACTIVE SPRVICE Bullard-Davies, Rlying Officer R. H.; Coughtrev Corporal F.; Devote, Flying Officer D.; Doughty, Leading Aircraftman D. G.; Dumbreck, Sergeant O. W.; Ed-wards, Sergeant R. C.; Griffiths, Pilot Officer J. O.; Hargreaves, Pilot Officer J. D.; Hewett, Flying Officer J. P. M.; Hulton, Pilot Officer H. S. P.; Humphreys, Aircraftman 2nd Olars R. C. T.; Innes, Pilot Officer H. A. D., F. C.; Jeffery, Acting Flying Officer R. L.; Mace, Acting Flight Lieutenant C. R.; Mathleson, Pilot Officer R. C.; Nelson, Sergeant R. M.; Robinson, Aircraftman 2nd Class E. J.; Scott-Kerr, Sergeant R. H. I.; Sims. Acting Pilot Officer R. A.; Smith, Leading Aircraftman R. R.; Stein, Sergeant J. D.; Stewart, Sergeant J. G.; Taylor, Aircraftman First Class W. F.; Wall, Sergeant C.; Woodward, Sergeant A. H.

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D.; Watson-Parker, Sermeant P. I. DIED OF WOUNDS OR INJURIES RECEIVED ON ACTIVE SERVICE Kirkpatrick, Sergeant J. G. S.

DIED ON ACTIVE BERVICE Hoyd, Flight Lleutenant R. D.; Catmore, Corporal G. E.; Gosden, Leading Air-Second-class 1. D.: Kneale, Sergeant W. R.: Moore, Aircraftman Second-class

Married They Have Biggest Chance Doing It Again SO you are thinking of getting

married? Here are a few official facts about the present state of matrimony, put out this morn-"It is the easiest possible thing to ing by Cupid's secretary, the Registrar-General.

The likelihood of a widower of any age marrying is greater than that of a bachelor of the same age, and of "You have only got to hang out a widow greater than that of a the washing in a line north and spinster, except in the age-group 25-

ment information some weeks ago on has been a feature of the returns of With both bachelors and spinsters to use, I believe, to considerable ad- the rates for the age period 25-35 were higher during 1937 than any

pre-1914 year. London Pride

Wales, and in Holborn and Westminster rates of about twice the

"Such rates give support to the be-

Divorce Record

Court, but still.--The number of divorces - in 1937, 4,886 constituted a new high record, and was eight or nine times as large waters. The first entry read was eight or nine times as large waters. as those for the year 1901 to 1910.

SNOW MADE HER CRAZY

SNOW has fallen in Mexico for the first time in 33 years.

One girl committed suicide because "the cold made her crazy."

Ten people were frozen to death. *******

Aircraftman's Vivid Record Diary Of A Flight . Over Germany

LONDON, (UP) .-- From the —Police in London and the provinces to London to be married," states the terse entries in the diary-kept are keeping watch for the car, and have been intructed to detain its took part in a recent reconnais-Of course, you are quite sure your sance over German territorial marriage won't end in the Divorce waters, a vivid impression of the experience is pieced together. 09.20 hours. The first entry re-

> 10.08 hours. "All quiet. Visibility about two miles crossing British coast at 1,200 feet."

> One hour later the entry records that all is quiet, but as the height is now 11,000 feet, oxygen is being used. The entries continue to record "all quiet." Visibility has improved to about ten miles and the outline of the German coast can be seen. It is all quiet to within a quarter of a mile from the coast.

13.24 hours. The leader of the formation gives attack rignal to all his alreraft. "Within one minute" says the diary, "we were fired on by A.A. guns but the aim was very poor. This fire came from a battery of four guns on an Island."

13.30 hours. "Attacked by fighters, twins and singles. One single, one double shot down. Twin fighter falling from 10,000 feet, hitting water."
13.40 hours. "Single fighter glided down to water from same heightappeared to alight O.K." For five minutes there is no entry. The battle is on. Then . . .

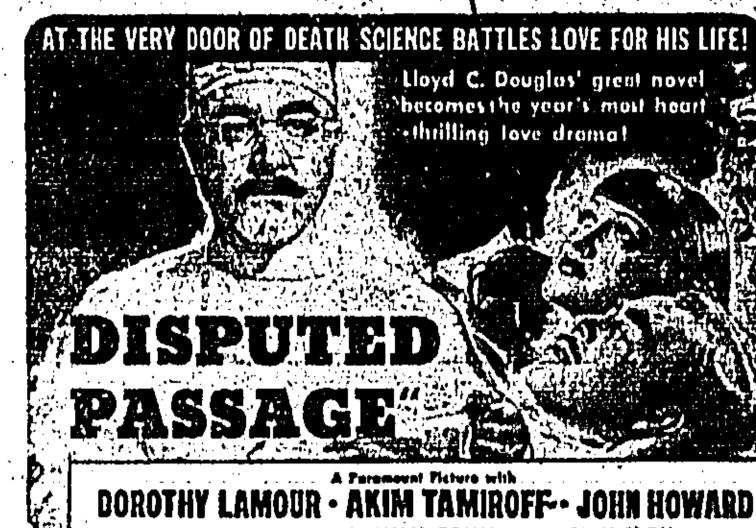
13.45 hours. "Second single fighter dropped in flames." A minute later the diary notes that the formation has come down to 10,000 feet. "Visibility good. Rear gunner reports one more M.E. 110 shot down."
13.50 hours. "Another M.E. 110 seen faling out of control."

URBAN COUNCIL

At a meeting of the Urban Council to-morrow afternoon, a letter, from Government signifying approval o the Legislative Council to the amendment of the Dangerous and Offensive Trades by-laws in the Public Health (Sanitation) Ordinance of 1935, will be tabled.

Matters to be considered include, reorganization of the Health Branch, Department; application for food shop licence for 14, Pottinger Street, ground floor; application for laundry licence for 172, Hennessy Road, ground floor,

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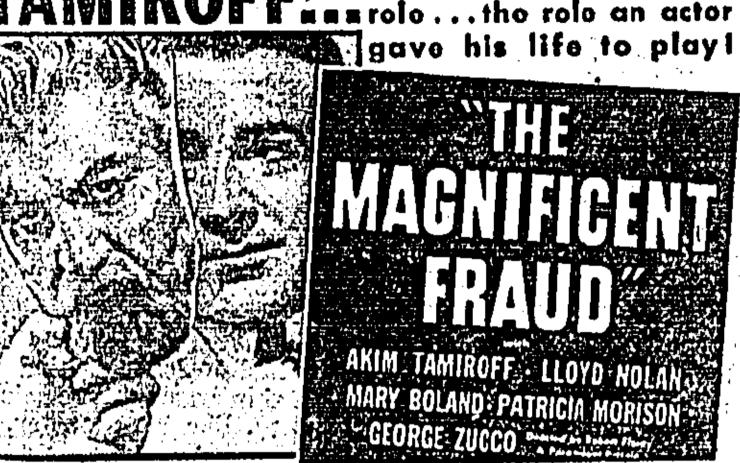
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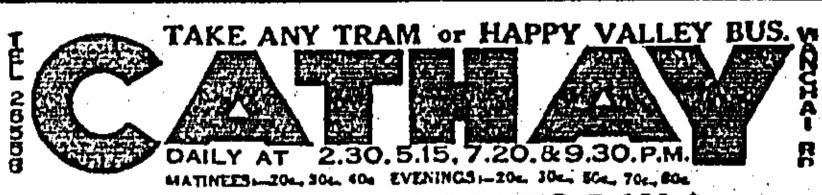
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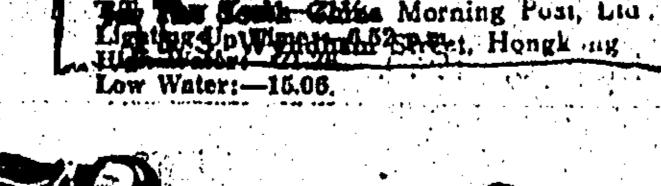
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REMARKABLE HAPPENINGS WILL SHAKE THE PILLARS OF THE WORLD — Boast

ROME, MAY 5 (REUTER).—DETAILS HAVE REACHED HERE OF AN ORGANISED ANTI-ALLIED DEMONSTRATION IN MILAN OVER THE WEEK-END BY ABOUT 100 STUDENTS WHO MARCH THROUGH THE STREETS SHOUTING "LONG LIVE GERMANY" AND "DEATH TO BRITAIN AND FRANCE."

They chalked on the walls: "We want Hitler in London and Mussolini in Paris."

ENVOY TO RETURN

Significant Move By **British Government**

LONDON, May 5 (British British Isles. Wireless).—Sir Percy Loraine, the British Ambassador in Rome, who has been for some time on leave, is returning to his

matic representatives in southeastern Europe who had been specially summoned back to London for the purpose,

He will, therefore, be able to give the Italian Government, should it require it, a fuller and more intimate account of the proceedings, the purport of which must be already known to them through Sir Noel Charles, and the essence of which lies in the settled policy of Britain defined, in the official statement issued after the consultations at the Foreign Office, as the "preservation of peace and promotion of security in Balkan and Danubian countries."

Of Equal Interest

As Professor E. H. Carr points out Brltish.

Since the return to south-east than diminished the anxieties which beset these states. It has again been and the French Commander-indemonstrated that neither strict neu- Chief. General Audet. trality nor non-provocation verging on compliance, nor guarantees, nor promises, nor pledges will save any country from German attack if the tortuous developments of Nazi policy great grief that I now inform you require its subjugation.

There has been plenty of evidence In the last fortnight that in the face of this renewed warning, nations situated wherever Germany can disturb the peace are increasing their vigilance and their precautions.

British policy, which stands in opposition to any extension of hostillties at their expense, must be to them stated that the expedition to southern one of the few re-assuring factors in Norway proved more difficult to an anxious situation.

New Naval Staff Appointment

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-Rear Admiral Henry Moore has been appointed a Lord Commissioner of the Admiralty and Assistant Chief of the * Naval Staff fri succession to Rear Admiral H. Burroughs as from July

INVASION PREDICTED

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

He predicted that the coup dreamed of by Napoleon would be finally realised through enormously improved technical means now at the disposal of Germany and Sir Percy was present at the dis-cussions which Lord Halifax had a few weeks ugo with British diplo- present war greater and more powerful than ever

Commander's "Great Grief"

Poignant Letter To Norwegian Colleague SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

STOCKHOLM, May 6 (UP) -The "Sydsvenski Dagbladet's" correspondent with the Norwein an article in the "Sunday Times," gian forces on the Steinkjer that it is Italian Interest no less than front reports that the Norwegian Commander in the Trondelag European capitals of the British region, Colonel Getz, received diplomats who took part in the dis- letters at 11 p.m. on Thursday cussions with Lord Halifax, events in from the British Commander-inother directions have increased rather Chief, General Carton de Wiart,

Text Of Letter

The following is the text of the letter from General Carton de Wiart: "Dear Colonel Getz,-It is with that we must evacuate this district. "Each of us feels it very deeply." "We leave some materials here and we are convinced it will be of great

use to you and your brave corps. "Concerning ourselves, we hope to be allowed to return here and help you successfully end your campaign." General Audet is reported to have realise than anyone had imagined in

OFFICIAL DENIAL the situation in China has total- weginn positions there have failed.

they have sunk one British battle- original bases. ship and cruiser of the York class has been issued by the Admiralty.

OF NAZI CLAIMS LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—There has died down in Shansi, and the

s no truth in the German claim that Japanese have now retreated to their

TO BALKANS

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

BERLIN, May 5 (UP).—German spokesmen to-day warned the Balkans that the "crushing victory in Norway is only a dress rehearsal for the last decisive stage of the war, for which Hitler is ready."

gression with lightning action," said a spokesman.

"The Allies will suffer the same We will counter British ag- catastrophic defeat they encountered "Wherever it is, we will get there first and will stay there."

ROME, May, 5 (UP). — Signor Giovanni Ansaldo, who is generally regarded as being the mouthpiece of the Italian Foreign Office, told his soldier listeners in a nation-wide radio broadcast to-day that he believed Germany would invade the

before."

"We would all like to presume that we will see just that—that is to say, the invasion of England," he declared:

He also said he expected the Allies to be defeated in Norway.

"They withdrew from Namsos and Andalsnes in eight days, but that is time enough for all Allied soldiers who survived, to have a memory impressed upon them which will last for the rest of their lives."

Napoleon's Dream

ROME, May 5 (Reuter) .--"Napoleon's attempt to invade England will certainly and soon be attempted by Germans in this war," declared Signor Ansaldo, Editor of Count Ciano's newspaper "Il Telegrafo," in a weekly broadcast to Italian troops.

"We have already seen remarkable happenings. We shall see even more remarkable ones which will shake the pillars of the world," he concluded.

Bad Outlook Japanese

Army Facing Serious Position In China

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" CHUNGKING, May 6 (UP) -According to military reports

y collapsed for the Japanese. The southern push of the invaders 100 Germans were killed.

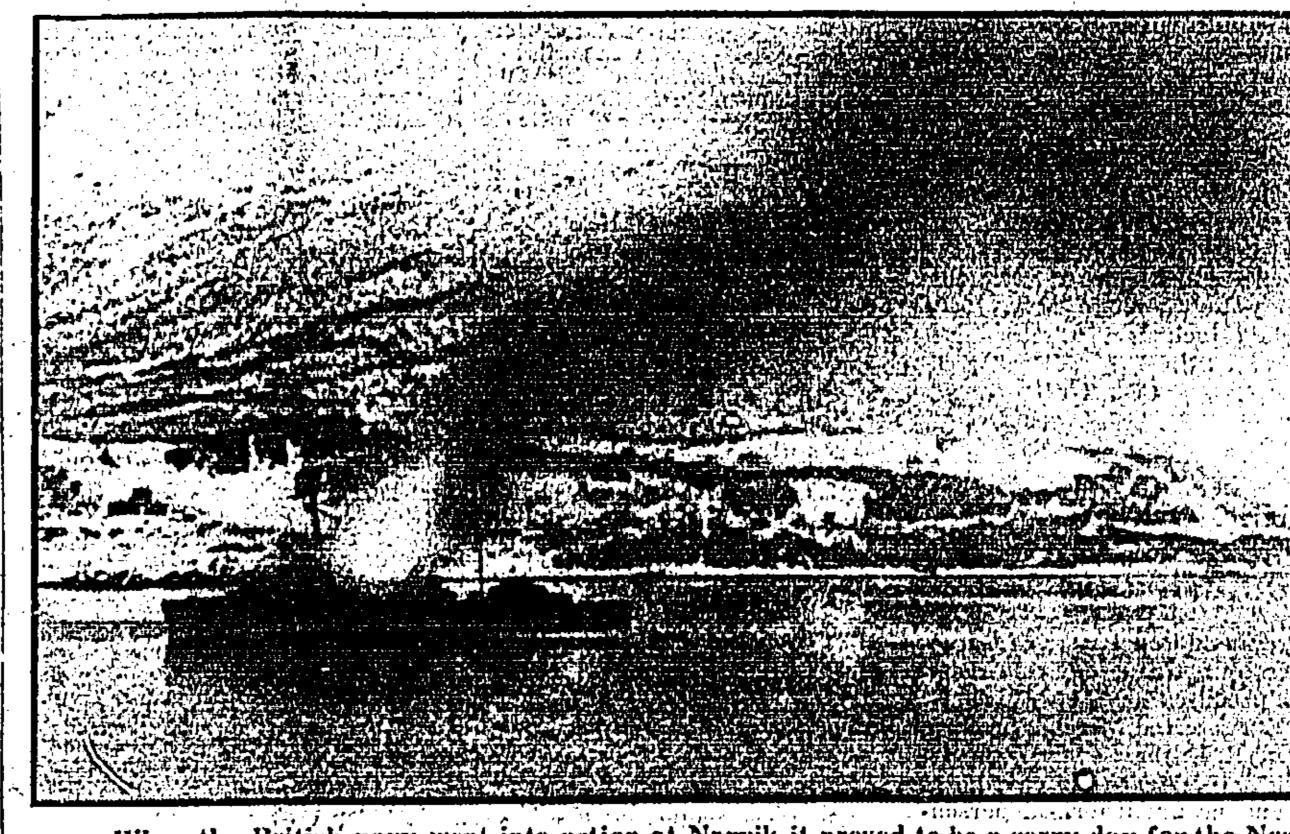
the offensive. There is bloody fighting in the Han troops. River valley, and the Chinese have retaken several cities in southern Anhwel, where they are now attack

ing Tsingyang.

DYING

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).— George Lansbury, the venerable it is not yet known whether any were pacifist, who is seriously ill in a London hospital, is reported to be sided by the fact that there is not a that the incident will lead to "further way's neutrality had been "truly imsinking rapidly.

BRITISH HAVY IN ACTION AT



When the British navy went into action at Narvik it proved to be a sorry day for the Nazi Fleet. Seven destroyers were sunk within a few hours, and here we see one of them on fire near the harbour whither it had been driven after action with the British naval units. This picture was received from London by air mail this morning.

TO FREEDOM

STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter).—The Norwegian troops in the Roeros sector are reported to be planning to break through a fast closing German cordon to join the Allied troops in northern Norway.

An official statement that the lighting would continue in the north has partly dissipated the bitter disappointment felt at the orders given to retire in the Roeros sector, following the Allied evacuation in southern Norway.

The Norwegian General Headquarters is now established in

The Norwegian positions south of Rocros were intact when the "Cease Fire" order was given. During the latest operations, about 300 German soldiers were driven back by 120 Norwegians.

Guerilla Warfare

The Germans had 35 killed and wounded while the Norwegian casualties wère only five. - Henceforth only guerilla warfare can be expected from the Norwegian forces in southern Norway. The Norwegian troops in the Gau Valley have decided to fight on and Warship. all the German efforts to take Nor-A German detachment south-east

Rocros Falls

of Storen have been defeated. Over

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" ROEROS, May 5 (UP),-Rocros, in operations at Namsos. This denial Elsewhere, the Chinese have taken the last Aliled stronghold in central Norway has fallen to the German

> Evacuation of the city by the Allied forces was followed this morning by the appearance and entry into the town of 25 German soldiers who rode motor cycles. They occupied Roeros without firing

single shot. Earlier this morning a German bombing plane dropped six bombs in the middle of the town.

Church-Goors Bombed

church at the time of the raid, and killed or injured. The horror of the attack is inten-PLEASE Turn To Page 10.

H.K. MAN IN CASUALTY LIST

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-The latest R.A.F. casualty list issued by the Air Ministry includes a Hongkong-born man. He is Sergeant J. L. Hawken, who had already won the Distinguished Flying Medal for gal-

War's Biggest Casualty List The new casualty list is the biggest of the war to date, and Includes 119 names.

Killed in action, seven; previously reported missing, now presumed killed in action, seven; missing 52; killed on active service, 18; died on active service,

Among the list of missing is Squadron Leader Kenneth Doran, the first British air ace of the war, who led the famous Kiel raid the day after Britain had declared war on Germany.

**************** the north and Norwegian mobilisation remains in force. Secret N. Sea Crossing British Warship

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—Professor Koht, the Norwegian Foreign Minister, and M. Ljungberg, the Norwegian Defence Minister, who are in London to confer with the British Government, are believed to have travelled from Norway to a Scottish port in a British

The journey was kept a close secret until several hours

Nazi Leader Murdered

Czech's Revenge Act In Prague

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

PRAGUE, Moy 5 (UP) -A Ger man named Ernst Leimer was shot British Ministers on Monday. dead by a Czech civilian on May 2, reports released to-day disclose. Leimer is a prominent member of

the Nazl Party. So far there has been no official best can get help ugainst the forces Crowds of people were going to version of the murder, but it is of violence." [understood that the perpetrator was] captured after he had leaped into the river in an attempt to escape.

Nazi circles state that it is possible

after their arrival in London.

Professor Koht and M. Ljungberg went to the Norwegian Legation in London where conferences lasting several hours took place with the Norwegian Minister in London.

It is understood that the Norwegian Minister and Sir Cecil Dormer, thei British Minister to Norway, will see Lord Hallfax and possibly other

Foreign Minister's Broadcast Professor Koht, broadcasting this evening, said that he was in London for a few days "to discuss how we

From London, he will go to Paris! and then home again to fight.

Professor Koht claimed that Nor-PLEASE Turn To Page 10.

Cabinet Blame NO SPLIT OVER **EVACUATION**

LONDON, May 5 (UP).— Political circles now prophesy that the Government will be "let off with a caution" when the withdrawal from Norway is debated in the Commons during the coming week, despite the storm of criticism which beat on Mr. Chamberlain's head from within his own camp as well as the Opposi-

In a statement last Friday Sir John Simon said that there was no division in the Cabinet when the decision was taken to withdraw from Namsos-a statement which is believed to have put the ground from under the feet of those critics planning to split the Government by alleging that Mr. Chamberlain and the majority of the Cabinet restrained Mr. Churchill and the Navy from attacking Trondheim at the out-

The statement also prevents any attempt to use Mr. Churchill as the spearhead of a new war policy or move for a new Cabinet:

Churchill Defended

The "Sunday Despatch" to-day took the extraordinary course of devoting its main news positions to an editorial defence of Mr. Churchill,

"Any attempt to saddle M Churchill with the blame for Norway now would mean a serious weakening of our war effort," the

It adds that the new powers conerred on Mr. Churchill with his appointment on April 3—to preside over a Committee of Service Ministers—were "held up" and that his powers have been given "definite

Government's Case

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—While everything still depends upon the strength of the case which the Government will present to the House of Commons on Tuesday, two new considerations are tending to swing the situation in their favour, states Reuter's Lobby Correspondent. ::|Sir i|John ||Simon's ||statement || on Friday that there were no divisions

in the Cabinet in Norway has dis-

posed of one of the hopes of the more

advanced of the Government's critics.

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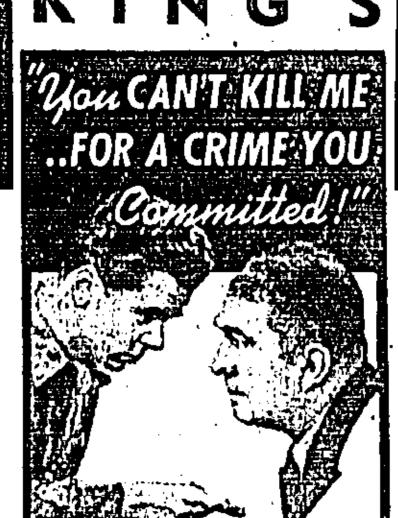
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CANON Arthur Sinker, former rector of Bermondsey, S.E., who died recently at Norwich, once calculated that a woman married twenty years, with a family of six:

Kissed the family 45,000 times.... one kiss per head per day, Pecled 87,600 potatoes.

ings.

Made 29,200 bcds.

Buttered 175,200 slices of bread. to tell him of any odd jobs they women's clothes; others had torn up wanted done—and had the work done their rubber lifebelts and made armed. without charge,

He provided the men, who were Stayed In A School paid 25s. a week and their insurance. from voluntary contributions. His view was that the occupation and school, and a cook collected food All they can have is economic access payment were better for the men than from the villagers which he made to the sea." just accepting unemployment pay.

Appointed Canon Residentiary of signed last November through III- Lieutenant Heppell borrowed a boat start another monetary system.

ADVERTISEMENTS. "Swim For It, Boys," Captain Said As He Died

THE INDO-CHINA STEAM DRAMATIC STORY OF HARDY'S ADVENTURES

CAPTAIN Warburton-Lee, mortally wounded, gave his last order on board the destroyer Hardy, grounded on the shore of Narvik Fiord.

"Swim for it, boys," he said. "Every man for himself. Good luck." The boys swam through the ice-cold water to the shore 100 yards away.

They would not leave their captain. One of them swam with him to the beach.

"Is everyone all right?" he gasped, and died.

That story was told when sixty Hardy survivors arrived in London to be The Transfer Books of the Com- cheered by a welcoming British crowd and to be received by First Lord Winston

Britain. The London conting-disappointed. ent, in a strange assortment of clothes-Norwegian jumpers, ski caps, women's clothing-told of the captain's dying heroism and their escapes on the hillside of the Norwegian ford.

Monday,

Petty-Officer E. Buggley, of Saint Jude Cottages, Plymouth, one of the sixty, told this story of the flord

"On that Tuesday night the pilot who had been guiding us into the ing of Shareholders will be held at | who mad been total that the German forces were vastly superior. nt Noon, for the purpose of receiv- that Captain Warburton-Lee sent his they had got ashore in boats and myself, was clad in a grey pullover ing the Report of the General famous "Shall we go in?" message to the Admiralty, because we were Agents, together with a statement told shortly afterwards that we would of Accounts for the year ended the be going into action at about 1.30

"We came into the flord. There was a blinding snowstorm, and navigation was tricky, Visibility was

"In fact, we came near to giving | Tore Off Clothes the whole game away—we saw two misty outlines and had half a mind of our presence, for those outlines ing. were two huge rocks,

we sighted enemy ships and loosed the nearest.

of one of them. reached their mark. We saw the ex- had arrived with some clothes on a chum on the way home." plosions and sparks were blown high shore, had forn them off when they

mark—another set fire to a jetty. air raid, and opened fire with their through nearly six-foot deep of snow pom-pom guns.

chaser shells rained on us like fire-

"We were heading out of the har- house, and it only had five rooms. told the Captain that one German destroyer still had a gun in action, and pleaded to be allowed to go in

"Once more we altered course. and the visibility no more than seventy yards. Then all our ships,

Germans and they returned fire. "Every minute it seemed to get worse. When our boiler-room was godown to consignees' craft and/ hit we were really out of action as or lorry by the Wharf Company at all our steam was going to waste. half the Company's Tariff rate for We went aground on the beach, still

> "The fore gun was firing on the enemy as we went towards the "Although Captain Warburton-

Lee was dying he was following the progress of the battle. Leading Seaman Dove, at No. 4 gun, was still harassing the enemy, and at the sound of it the Captain smiled. 'I shall never forget No. 4 gun as long as I live,' he said. Crawl In Mud

"There were no boats to bring him ashore. He was put gently on a patent cane stretcher and somebody swam in the water to bring it ashore He died there, with shrapnel and Secretary and Manager, shells still exploding around him. "Our landing was a terrible busi-

ness. Only one boat looked un-damaged, but when it was lowered we found it had been holed by a splinter. It overturned, tlpping us all into the water.

"I swam about in the freezing water for 100 yards and got on to the beach. "I crawled on my stomach over

half a mile of mud, then, up to my waist in snow, struggled on again. "We found a Norwegian house some distance away, and when we sald we were English were stripped and put to bed. A few hours later the woman told us in alarm that we ought to get along, and we walked Darned 10,400 socks and stock- through the snow fifteen miles to Balangen.

> "A queer sight we must have made. Some were naked except for pieces of socks with them.

into menis.

from the Norweglans and went out | So far Mr. Stokes, stocky, smiling United Press.

In all 130 survivors reached to contact the fleet, but come back, "We Were Thankful"

daunch on a beach, in perfect order, derful, He took charge of it, went out and met H.M.S. Ivanhoe and flashed with a torch.

"They sent boats to the pier to pick us up, and apparently while we were on our way to the destroyer some Germans; who had gone up prepared bread and butter. That into the mountains, came to the was all there was to eat or drink village and were taken prisoner."

company said:

wards and forwards between the the story of a German gentleman to ship and the shore, helping those tell us. who could not swim. "How he stuck it. I don't know, with the water so cold,

"We got ashore, about 170 of us, deck, to open fire. Had we done so, the Seventeen had been killed in the Germans would have been warned fight, and another two were miss-

"We could see about a dozen houses

in sight, the usual wooden houses! "At the mouth of Narvik harbour there are up there. We all made for fired a salvo straight across the bows had been ley. Most of the men had discarded most of their clothing to "At this moment our torpedoes swim ashore, and many more, who

landed because they were so ley cold. "Five of our torpedoes found their It was warmer to, go half-naked. "Two hundred yards away there "The Germans thought it was an was a house. We ploughed our way

"Then they fired on us, and pink empty when the battle started. "But soon the woman of the house and her daughter, a typically good- rible. "We altered course and came in looking blonde Norwegian girl, came allowed on the Wharves or other for another run. A shore battery back and did all they could for us. There were eighty of us in that one

"Then he found a German return for them, for they were won-

"The girl half undressed-that is she took off her coat, her lumper. her shoes and stockings, and gave them to those of us who needed clothing most. "They made us ten and coffee and

there, but they gave us all they had, and we were thankful for it. . . Leading Telegraphist B. J. Rees, "Men could be seen putting on silk the man who sent the dramatic slips, and trying to pin them between "Shall I go in?" message from the the legs in order to make trousers "It must have been at this time Captain, denied the early reports that out of the bottom half of them. I

> Another member of the ship's knickers. The sailor told how the survivors went on to Ballengen. "Our torpedo officer, Lieutenant | "Fifty British sailors, off the mer-Heppell, was a real hero. He saved chant ships at Narvik, also found at least five men by swimming back- their way to Ballengen. They had

and a woman's grey woollen

"They with 150 other British seamen, had been imprisoned on the German whaling factory. When the battle started the German captain of the ship brought them all out on

"'Take the boats and get ashore," he told us," said one of the seamen. "He was a gentleman. And, by the way, he had been interned in England in the last wor!" Stoker A. Harris, one of the party,

was immediately surrounded and torpedoes. Then our gunner officer, "We were freezing cold. The water his left eye. "I'm going to disasked to explain a large plaster over appoint you all," he said. "I didn't get this wound in action. collected it in a friendly fight with

Petty Officer Kny told the story of Able Seaman Bailey, who swam ashore after his hand had been blown off by a shell.

"Bailey was a hero. I saw his hand-only the thumb was left. Yet to it and found it had been left he never said a word. He swam to the beach without asking for aid, although the pain must have been ter-

> age for the hand before we set out on the fifteen miles trek to the vill lage up the flord."

"We made a rough kind of band-



NORWEGIAN officers who have arrived in England to consult with Military Intelligence officers before returning to Norway. seen walking in a London street in battle dress.

Mr. STOKES (M.P. Soc.) IS

PEACE by negotiation with Hitler and the present German Government is the policy of Mr. R. R. Stokes, M.P. for Ipswich. Recently he gave the reasons for the faith that is in him to 400 of his constituents. would negotiate with the land genial, had his audience with

devil," he declared from the plat- him. They applauded. But they form of the Ipswich Public Hall. Mr. Stokes is managing director of the famous engineering firm of Ran- would be a brave man who would somes and Rapier, employers of 1,100 suggest sinking the British Navy. Ipswich citizens. He travelled for Why not pool the navies of Europe his firm, and is a Socialist.

dealing parson," started an unusual for covering. Others, who had been more to a superstance of the explains, "no intent employment scheme. He asked people to a schoolhouse, were wearing tunrantee of peace can be worth to tell him of any odd jobs they women's clothest others had torn up tunpence if every one remains the worth tunpence if every one remains to tell him of any odd jobs they women's clothest others had torn up "Some people," he said, "think we

are going to restore Poland to the state she was in before the war. That is impossible. It is impossible "In the village we stayed in a to restore Danzig and the Corridor.

became silent as he went on: "What about the British Navy? I

against the possible depredations of Mr. Stokes wants general disarm- Japan and America, and demand

> "Then we could sink all the naval ships in the middle of the Atlantic." There was no applause for that.

New York, May 4.

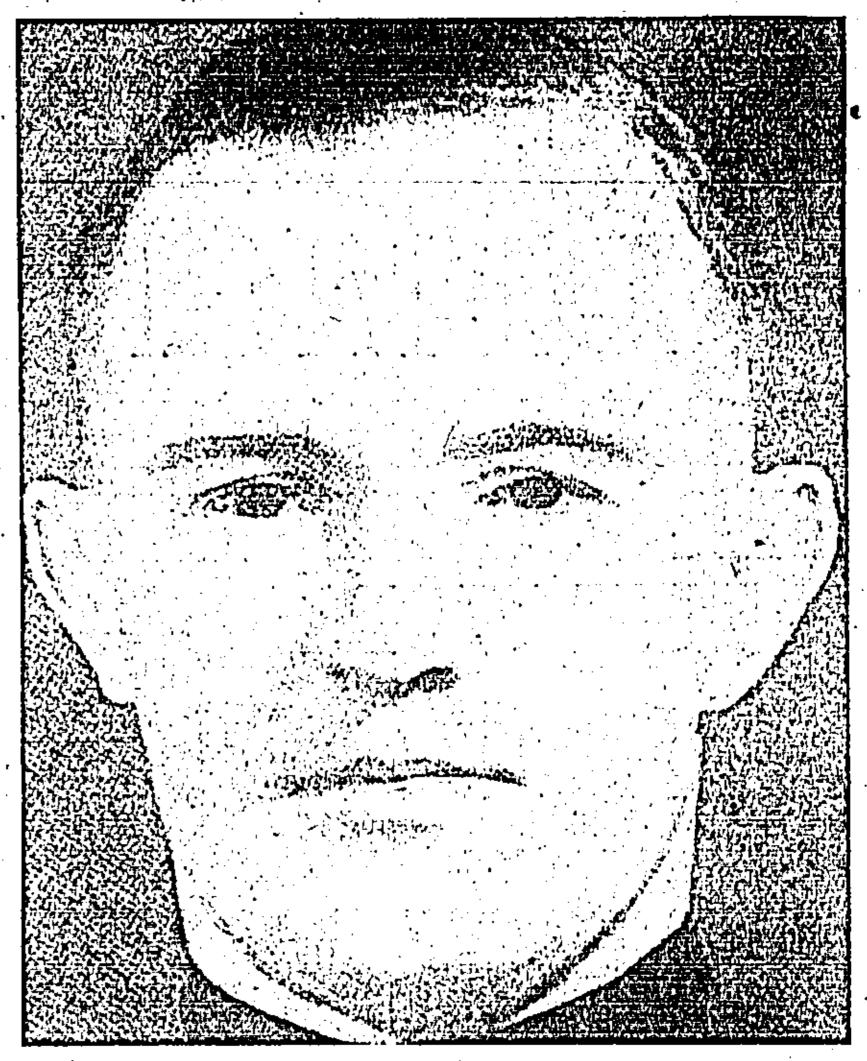
The Jewish Pollsh Capt. Max month. Finklestein committed suicide by Mr. Stokes also thinks we should shooting to-day. He was involved in "On Friday we heard there were return to free trade. All gold should a rail bond irregularity. It will be Southwark Cathedral in 1933 and two British destroyers in the Flord, be sent to the United States and then recalled that he was assigned in 1938 re- and we heard the Warspite open fire. we should declare it valueless and to protect the German Consulate against' anti-Nazi demonstrators.-

Picture Traitor

ITS Lord Haw-Haw, the Englishman who betrays his country for £15 a week broadcasting anti-British propaganda from Germany every evening.

He is William Joyce, formerly a British Fascist, who went to Germany before the war to work for Goebbels.

The scar on his right cheek was caused by a razor attack in Lambeth in 1924.



Got Jimmy, 13, His Long

Books For Britons In Enemy Camps Britons in enemy hands will be

examinations—with the help of the newly instituted Red Cross educational book scheme for British prisoners of war and civillan internees. Books on a wide range of subjects, from accountancy to zoo-

able to continue their education

-and even sit for professional

logy, will-be-available, and-willbe sent to prisoners who apply on the forms now being provided. It is hoped that each camp will form a library to which prisoners

will give their books when they

have finished with them. The Earl of Clarendon is chairman of the committee, which points out that the scheme is supported by voluntary contributions.

CANADA MADE BIG OF IT PART

SLEDGES used by the British Army in Norway have been modelled on the sledge used by Scott on his Polar expeditions.

Equipment has been designed by experts like Mr. F. S. Smythe, the Everest mountaineer, and Mr. Ernest Shackleton, son of the late Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Polar explorer.

All the equipment is British made -n great deal of it in Canada-and the speed with which the supplies have come through creates an Army

This was disclosed by Mr. Leslie Burgin, the Minister of Supply, when the B.E.F. Norwegian equipment was the Ministry had to cope with. displayed at his Ministry. The equipment-it includes sleep-

ing jackets for a temperature of 22 degrees below zero, ammunition boxes with quick release fasteners, and camouflage tunics-was piled on the sledge that accompanied Scott on his expeditions.

"Absolute Secrecy"

Mr. Burgin said: "All the equipment for the B.E.F. in Norway was got together in abso- thing from specially lined overconts. lute secrecy, and in spite of appall- mittens, goggles, footless stockings to ing weather conditions in less than a ammunition, boxes, cooking sloves

"I do not think any force has two seconds." been so splendidly equipped in so short a time.

Trousers

THIRTEEN - YEAR - OLD Jimmy Queen arrived at his home in Cow-lane, Wareham. Dorset, in man-size trousers and shoes.

Which calls for some explanation... Jimmy, a pupil at South Dorset Technical College, saw a dog struggling in Weymouth Harbour.

Men and boys were trying to rescue it.

-----Ladder-Sank Jimmy tied a rope round his waist and started to crawl along a ladder laid across the mud.

and Jimmy, fingers numbed, had to be hauled back. The dog was drowned. Jimmy was taken to a cafe and

But the Indder sank under him,

given a hot meal. An ambulance driver produced some trousers for him and somebody fixed him up with a pair of shoes several sizes too big.

"I'm sorry about the dog," he said. "He was a nice_little beggar."

--h. O'REILLY

read a headline in the train-It sounded as remote as heaven, And echoed like a strange refrain: "O'Reilly 66 for 7."

Ceased shivering in the censored weather, And thought of cheerful men in

And I forgot the black-out night,

Chasing a smallish bit of leather. And Adolf seemed a wee bit thin. I thought, "He's not so blinking

At least, he cannot make 'em spin

Like Mister William J. O'Reilly?" - H. R. 🔃

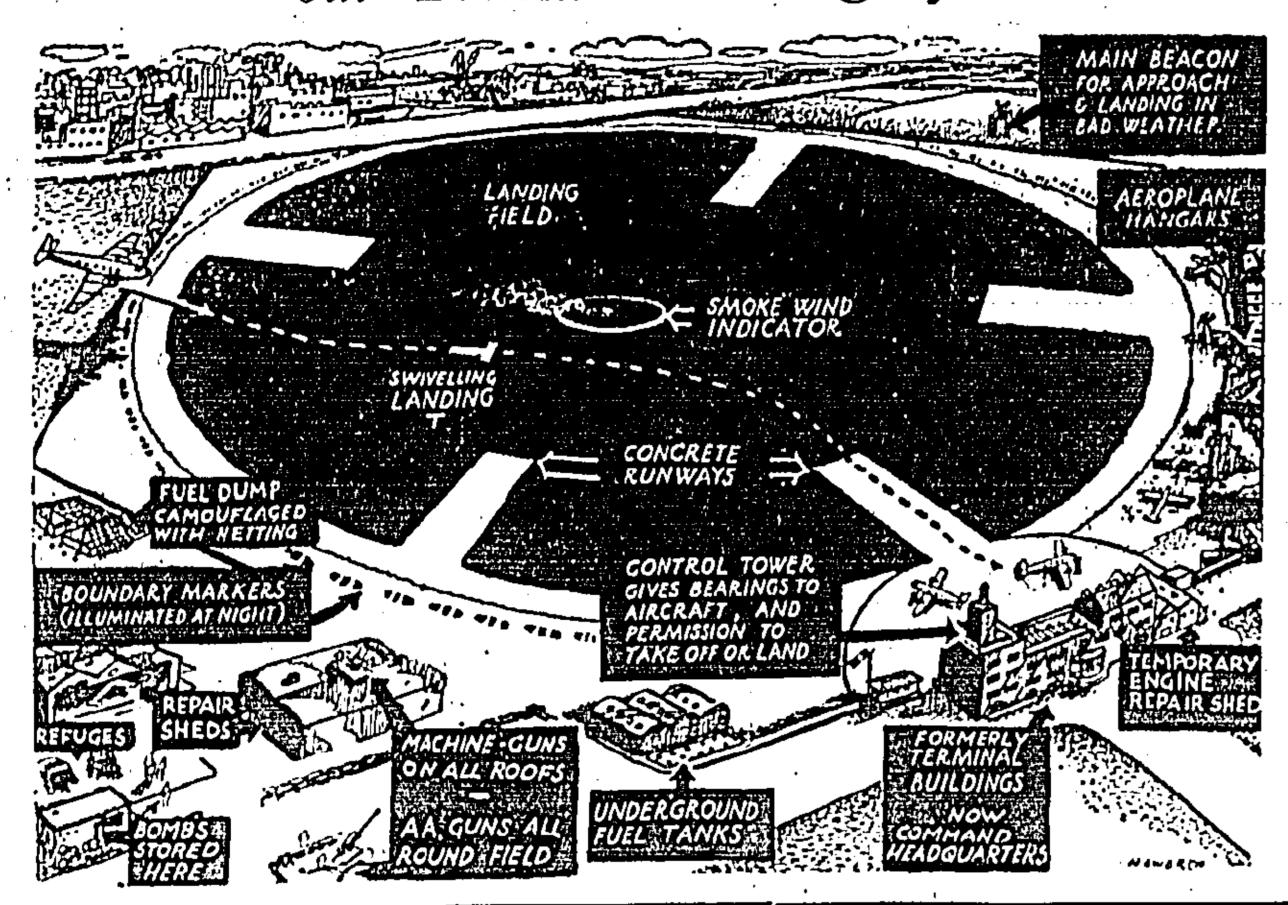
Mr. Burgin spoke of the difficulties Eight Mon Per Sledge

"We dld not expect British manufacturers to have a great deal of material in stock. So special manufacturers were called in and they collaborated with the British manufacturers.

"Soon we were able to produce sultable equipment and sultable materials. We have produced everyand special rifle-holders enabling a man to produce his rifle and fire in

Eight men will be attached to each "Regular production is now pro- sledge and four will sleep in each of ceeding both in this country and in the two tents provided. The sledge can be loaded in a few minutes.

These are the vital targets our British airmen go for



TUMBER one objective of . British bombers in Scandinavia are the aerodromes notably at Stavanger, Norway, and Aalborg, Denmark ---which have been taken over by the Nazis.

How big is an aerodrome? What are the vital points a raiding bombing squadron must nim for to put the aerodrome out of action? Why is it necessary to make repeated rnids?

The whole air field may cover several square miles of ground. Stavanger is particularly large, hence the need for repeated raids to cause sufficient damage to prevent aeroplanes from using at least one section of the field.

In bombing an aerodrome, however there are several key-points which, if once hit by bombs, render the whole field useless. Glance now at Haworth's sketch, showing the typical layout of a big acrodrome; notice those concrete runways; once they're pitted with bomb craters it takes days to repair them. In the interval it is unlikely that any aircraft would be able to take off.

What other key-points are there? Hangars full of valuable bombers and fighters; the radio control towers-nerve centre of the whole aerodrome-which guide 'planes back to the base; the main buildings housing the headquarters staff and precious maps and plans.

The fuel storage tanks, of course, are an obvious target, but these are usually hidden below ground. Bomb and ammunition stores are protected by the latest arts of camouflage.

Spotting the Rank CAPTAIN

This rank is regarded as the highest of a junior officer. A Captain acts as a Troop Commander in the cavalry and a Company Commander in the Infantry. In the Royal Artillery he is generally second in command of a bat-

His duties in the present-day Army, however, are almost entirely administrative, though in the absence of his Company Commander he assumes com-

mand of his unit. He is responsible for such matters as the issue of clothing and pay,

and keeping company accounts and for recreation and

The word Captain comes from the Latin "Caput"-

head. Pay: £540 a year after & years' service; £586 after 11 years, and £668 after 14

уелга.

Goebbels Isn't So Smart With His Propaganda

TAOR years the Germans have proclaimed the excellence of their propaganda technique. But now it seems that they are not as smart as they thought they were.

You would have thought, for instance, that they would have preferred to gloss over the loss of the Graf Spee, and allow the world to forget how their "invincible" pocket battleship ("strong enough to destroy smaller ships, and fast enough to run away from bigger ones" was defeated by smaller and lightly armed British cruisers.

Yet they have made the amazing blunder of trying to focuss public attention on it again.

In propaganda sheets now being circulated in the Far East they attempt to refute the recent disclosure of the crew's refusal to put to sea and face British guns again: They quote a statement made by Captain Kay of the Graf Spee:

"We, officers and men of the 'Admiral Graf Spee', nall down the fact that the chief of the British navy does not shrink from fighting with lies soldiers of

the German navy which he could not defeat in open battle. We have nothing but most profound disquist for these fighting methods of the British Navy."

A pretty cool speech from a man whose ship is lying on the mud of the River Plate estuary, utterly

THE Germans scuttled their ship because they knew that certain defeat awaited her, at the hands of the navy which (according to Captain Kay) could not defeat her in open battle.

Or are we expected to believe. that the Germans chose to break off the battle in order to have the interesting experience of scuttling their own ship? Really, Dr. Goebbels, this is not

in your best vein. The same interesting document quotes other claims, that the Graf Spee did not run away (but apparently only because the "attacking vessels had far higher speed" -an odd admission), and that she "suffered no essential damage to hull, armament, or machinery, but one lucky shot rendered her fire

ALL right, let us concede

control tower inoperative".

that she did run away. Let us just confine ourselves to pointing out that she was hounded into a neutral port as a bullock might be hounded into a shed by in couple of dogs-though the bullock could kill them both if only it had the courage to turn and

The "lucky" shot excuse is n pretty lame story; there must be something far wrong with German warships if they can be put out of action by a single six-inch shell -- "lucky" or otherwise-which did no "essential damage"!

No, Goebbels, you'd better lay off the Graf Spee episode: i really did you no good at all, twist it as you will.



POWER AND NAVAL THE MEDITERRANEAN

The hostile attitude of the Italian Press to the Allies gives point to a comparison of the combined British and French and the combined Italian and German strength in capital ships. The illustrations below of ships built exclude the tonnage officially reported to have been sunk. But the German ships, Scharnhorst and Von Scheer, which were officially reported to have been seriously damaged, are included in the Italian-German strength. Fourteen of the Allied ships (shown in black) have 15in. and five have 13in. guns. Four of the Italian and German ships have 12in, and three have 11in, guns.

In the comparison of ships nearing completion the Italians and Germans, having started building carlier, are given the advantage, but it is doubtful whether they should have it, since the Allies are able to build faster.

The Aliles' superiority in categories other than capital ships is still more overwhelming. Hitler's strength was vitally weakened in the actions off Norway, and the British Ficet could rel ase bigger forces for the Mediterranean than would have been possible a fortnight ago.

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Unsolved Mysteries of the Sea

CAPITAL SHIPS BUILDING

MANY fine ships have already been lost in the eight months of Nazi piracy. Many others will be lost before the piracy ends.

CAPITAL SHIPS BUILT.

Some are lost without trace, to become another mystery of the

The sea has many such mys-

teries. Take the story of the Flying Dutchman. She was captained by a blas-pheming Dutchman, Vanderdecken. In the teeth of a head wind, "strong enough to blow the horns off a

bull," his ship was builling round the Cape of Good Hope. His crew in panie begged him to turn about. He swore at them and

went on drinking. 'Then a vision appeared and, cursing the captain for a stubborn fool, condemned him for ever to sail the seas, unable to rest, unable to land, a phantom sent to haunt the waves, to torment and mislead succeeding generations of mariners.

THERE was the queer case of the Dutch emigrant ship Palatine which sailed for Philadelphia in 1752. She was beaten by gales off her true course. Discipline aboard collapsed. The crew held the emigrants to ransom, stole their

savings and made off in the boats. The passengers, dying of discuse and hunger, drifted helpless on to the beach of Block Island. The survivors were rescued, all except one woman who had gone mad and refused to leave.

By Paul Reilly

The ship was set on fire, and the Palatine, blazing from end to end, drifted out to sea, with the screams of the maniae sounding above the roar of the flames.

And now, on the anniversary of the wreck, they say that a light like that of a blazing ship appears to the north of Block Island, and no one along the coast doubts that it is the Palatine Light.

MORE recent and more dramatic owing to the size of the boat was the fate of the 16,000-ton twinscrew Blue Anchor liner Waratah.

With a crew of 120 and 02 passengers she put out for Capetown from Durban on July 26, 1909. At six o'clock in the morning she was sighted by the Clan MacIntyre, a smaller and slower vessel bound for East London. The two ships exchanged greetings and compared weather reports. The Waratah passed on and in a few hours was hull down on the horizon. She. was never seen or heard of again.

The Clan MacIntyre reported heavy sens later in the day, and on the next day it blow a hurricane, but no distress signals were received and no wreckage found.

No evidence was , given at the court of inquiry that gave any light on the fate of the ship and its humun cargo. A fine, seaworthy modern liner had been swallowed up in a night without warning and without the usual pathetic relies left floating on the surface to mark the grave of a lost ship.

Two years later a sea-worn lifebuoy, _ battered and barnaclecovered, was washed up on a New Zealand shore seven thousand miles away. Beneath the barnacles the letters "WARAT" could just be deciphered. And that closed the story of a disaster that shocked the world as few have done in the history of ships.

forgotten the tragic story of the training-ship Kobenhavn, the last and finest of the five-masted bar-

On December 14, 1928, the Kobenhavn have salld from Buenos Ayres for Melbourne with a complement of sixty, including fortyfive young Danish cadets. Her course lay across the southern. oceans, through the wildest seas known to sailors, through the "Roaring Forties" where the giant rollers sweep round the Cape and through seas made dangerous by icefloes from the Antarctic.

For 120 days no word had been heard from her. Though equipped

Killy - 136a (200 Jacob) - 41800 C + 200 mining the proportion of the Late with wireless she could only communicate with the world through other ships. Still there was hope. Her last voyage had taken as long. But time passed, her reinsurance quotation rose to 00 guinens per cent. and steamers set off their courses to search. The British ship Halesius, calling at the loneliest island in the world, Tristan da Cunha, in the Southern Atlantic, was the first to report news of a salling vessel that answered the right description.

The islanders had seen a ship pass one January morning. She had five masts and a white band painted round her stern. They watched her drift off shore for three hours. They saw no one move on board. Only a jlb was set. A current caught the vessel and she turned off into the mist and was not seen again. No NONE of us can have yet quite wreckage was washed up and no further reports of the Kobenhavn. were received. The fine barque with its youthful crew become another tragle, unexplained loss.

> Only seven akeletons, discovered beside the remains of a lifeboat half-buried among the desolate sanddunes of a West African coast, seemed to provide a clue to the riddle. Pieces of tattered blue cloth clinging to the bones showed that the men had been sailors. From the shape of their skulls they were Nordic. But it was only a guess. No one could ever know whether these seven had indeed survived the wreck of the Kobenhavn. The sea had given up its dend but still kept its secret.

Crossword Puzzle

PREVIOUS FUXZLE I-Maker of clothes 7-Makes bappy 13—Last 14-Olinging insect 15-Pieced out 16—Binten positively 18 - Father 19-Plurais (abbr.) 91-Benjamin
23-Engineering degree
23-Adjust once more
24-Pirased
25-Relating to morals

17—Revokus

9-Wickedpess 11—Animal latra 12—Hardened

35-Quitch-grass

38-Quard/of aword 39-Draws liquid 41-Egyptian god 42-That is

44-Itumor 45-And (French)

46-Weat away

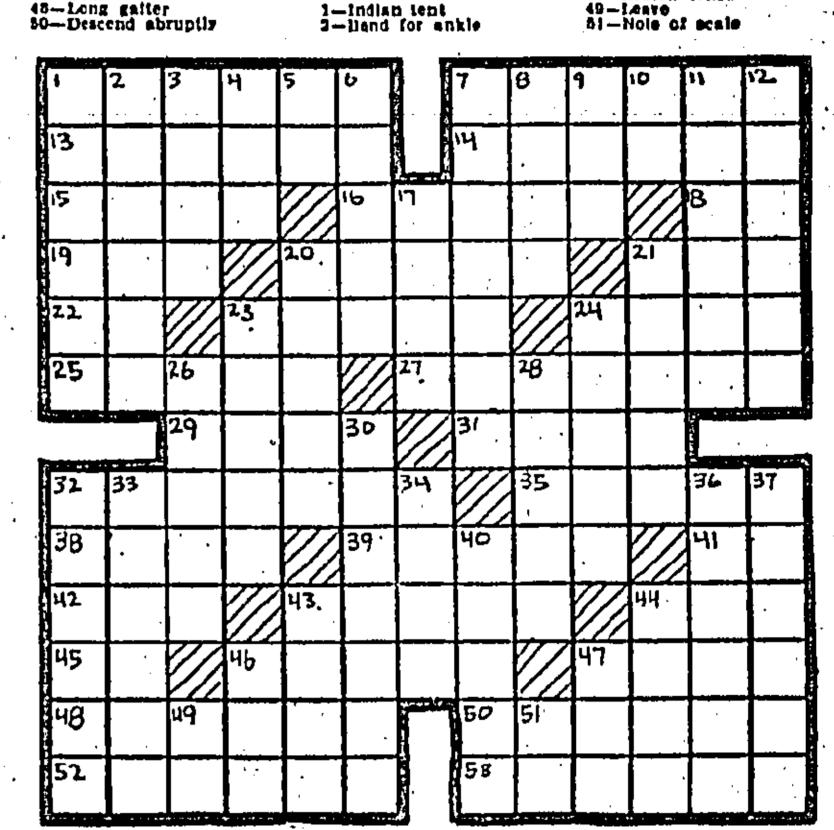
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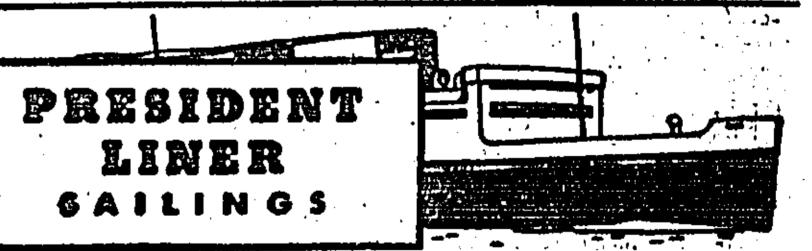
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Sir Nevile Henderson described in Saturday's instalment how he was withdrawn from his post as British Ambassador in Berlin after Hitler's invasion of Czecho-Slova-

He was in London when the quarrel between Germany and Poland over Danzig began to assume grave proportions.

Then Britain, by aunouncing her pact of mutual assistance with Poland, plainly told the Nazis that further aggression in Europe would be met by force. Negotiations were begun for a pact with Russia—and Hitler began to shout about "encirclement."

Sir Nevile returned to Berlin on April 25, 1939, to notify the German Government that conscription was being introduced in Britain.

S in 1938, so once again in 1939, the summer months were spent in fruitless negotiation.

Moscow had now become the centre of the stage, and His Majesty's Government and the French Government sought sincerely but in vain to persuade the Russian Government definitely to assume the same obligations towards Poland as we ourselves had undertaken.

As soon as one alleged obstacle to Russian co-operation was overcome, Stalin produced another with unfailing regularity.

Nor did we cense during the same period constantly using our good offices at Warsaw, with a view to the avoidance of the kind of incident which Hitler was so skilful in turning to his own pur-

My warnings to the Nazis

For my part in Berlin I was preaching patience and giving solemn warnings to all and sun-

My main and, indeed, almost sole object was to convince the Germans that any further act of aggression by them would mean war with Britain.

It was at the end of May, for instance, that I had my conversation with Goerling, which I reported at the time and which constituted one of the documents included in the Blue Book Issued by His Majesty's Government on the outbreak of war,

I made it quite clear to the Field Marshal that, while nobody desired more than we did an amicable arrangement between Germany and Poland in respect of Danzig and the Corridor, we were determined to oppose in future force

by force. Though Ribbentrop was at that time making great play with his own special brand of propaganda. to the effect that Britain would never fight over Danzig, the Field Marshal himself did not, on that occasion, appear to doubt that such was our fixed resolve.

It was, 'throughout the summer, gulte useless to argue about the equal rights of the Poles to Lebensraum and economic existence, and in the end I gave up trying to do so and concentrated on the inevitable consequences of aggressive action.

Hitler knows

The invariable relort of every German was that Britain had given a blank cheque to the Poles or had placed her sword in their. Red light

hands. My conversation with Goering led consequently nowhere in particular-as was, I fear, the fate of all my conversations, however stimulating, with him.

But, whatever may have been in Hitler's mind, war, did, not appear at that time to be either the desire or an immedalte preoccupation of Goerinia"

It was on that occasion he showed me with pride the coloured sketches of the tapestries which he proposed to hang in his new dining-room at Kariahali.

I described them in my official. despatch as drawings of "naked" ladies." but I am glad to have this opportunity of saying that I did so in no disrespectful; or suggestive

Had I anticipated that my despatch would ever be published, I should certainly have written "nudo figures" in place of the cruder expression which I actually

These drawings were in fact very affiatic, and I should not have referred to them at all it had not been to point the argument of pattence, which had been the gist of all my talk with Goering that

Sir Nevile Henderson



Frau von Ribbentrop, shown above wearing her best jewels, is heiress to a champagne fortune. Hitler escorted her in the grand march at an"Axis" party she tendered Italy's Count Ciano at her 30-room Dahlem home.

That was why, when he read out the names of Mercy and Purity, etc., I took the opportunity to observe that I failed to see Patience among them.

Goering, who never missed a courteous and appeared honestly point, roared with laughter at the glad to see one.

the chief impression which I had of Hitler was that of a master chess player studying the board and waiting for his opponents to make some false move which could_bc_turned_to_hls_own_im-_ mediale advantage.

So long as Russia's final attitude remained unpredictable, he himself would not move.

In any case, his army would not be finally ready for all eventualities until the end of August. That in spite of all the secreey of its preparations, was fairly evident. When it was announced that the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Tannenberg victory was to be held there on August 27, and that It would coincide with the visit of a German warship to Danzig, it did not need much prescience for me to abandon my rooted aversion to the popular habit of fixing dates for crises.

I wrote to Lord Halifax early in July, and foretold that the last week of August was likely to be zero hour.

We had reached the last act of the drame, and the curtain for it had gone up on that momentous March 31 when Mr. Chamberlain announced in the House of Commons our agreement with Poland. . Both parties were now sparring for position.

We sought at Moscow and Ankara to build up a pecae front against aggression, while the Germans were working at Moscow, in the Baltic States and in the Balkang to make gaps in that front. Both were to win successes and to suffer defeats.

But in the meantime there was a full which was likely to last for several months, and I reported to that effect at the beginning of

In the last days of that month urgently represented to the Polish Among ador the desirability of resuming conversations at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, but his answer was that he could do nothing till the German Government had given some evidence of its goodwill and readiness to talk. On June 25 I motored to Ham-

burg to attend the local Derby and to visit some old friends of mine. 'At. It' happened, a Pollsh horse was expected by many to be going to win the race, but he finished down the course, to the keen satisfaction of all loyal Germans.

The atmosphere was already strained, and I remember feeling rather sorry for my Polish colleague, who was also present. Yet everybody was friendly and

During the next four months be chief impression which I had hate Britain

Looking back on it all, one can only be impressed by the tragedyand futility of the present war. There was no hostility to England among the mass of the people in Germany. Goebbels' frenzied propaganda

may, since the beginning of the war, have been successful in working Germans up to hate. German youth is being, and has for some years past, been educated up Nazi extremists, full of the

mystical faith which seeks to impose German leadership on a world of German vassals, will always hate the chief barrier to the fulfilment. of their overweening ambitions. Resentment against the English.

who nicknamed him Brickanddrop, mny inspire Ribbentrop's hatred, and the "fury of the woman scorned" may fan the passions of Hitler himself. But the German people had no

natural hatred of the British. and it is the saddest thing in the world that the two should fight. Personally, up to the last, l never felt anywhere that I was

other than welcome. I attendéd two large parties at the end of that month; one was given by Funk, who, after having succeeded Schneht as Minister for Economies, had later replaced him as President of the Reichsbank, and the other by Lutze, who was the chief of the S.A. or brown-

Everyone who was anyone in Nazl circles, with the notable exception of the Ribbentrops and Himmlers, were present at these parties.

For me, they were not so much social entertainments as opportunities to exchange views with all who were ready to listen and to

I did my utmost in these numerous conversations to enlist the support of those most closely, in touch with Hitler, with a view to inducing him to make some gesture which would open the door, if it were only an inch or so, to n response on Mr. Chamberlain's

But, our negotiation with Russia, as long, as they continued, were represented to me as an insuperable obstacle to any conciliatory initiative on Hitler's part.

Alas, it was all talk; for it was not the Luizes and the Funks, or even the Brauschitzes and Lammers, who decided policy. The last thing which Hitler himat the beginning of July, and warned His Majesty's Government

self wanted was to start serious

discussions with England.

I went to London for a few days in connection with private business that the clouds were gathering. By this time, the Russian negotiutions had ceased to have for me, even the superficial appearance of any reality, and I still believe that from the outset Moscow never meant them to terminate in agreement with us.

Riddle of Russian pact

The moment at which Hitler began his own negotiations with Stalin must remain for the time being a matter for conjecture, but it can scarcely have been coincidence that in Hitler's speech of April 28 his usual hostile references to the U.S.S.R. were con-

spicuous by their absence. On May 3, Litvinov, the Russian protagonist of the League of Nations, was relieved of his post as Commissar for Foreign Affairs. A few..., weeks later a new Soviet Ambassador to Germany was received with marks of quite unusual courtesy. . . .

I decided, at the end of July, to seek for myself the opportunity of a personal meeting with Hitler. He was at Bayreuth at the time, attending the Wagner festival.

Though absolutely unmusical, I like Wagner. I had twice attended the whole of the Ring in Berlin, and I used this as an excuse to pay a visit to Bayreuth on July 29.

So far as my real objective was concerned it was a complete failure. I had car trouble on the way down, and when I got there I found that Hitler was away inspecting the Siegfried Line, accompanied by Ribbentrop; an ominous combination.

He got back on the last afternoon of my visit, but I only saw him at a distance in the Opera Even so, if he had wanted to speak to me. Hitler could have Halphong

done so, for he must have been Hamburg nformed that I was there. But contact with the British Ambassador was not part of the game for him.

There were three parties in Germany at this time. One, for removed from Hitler's entourage and representing the mass of the people, was all for peace and still hopeful that Hitler's wizardry would enable him to achieve his Vol. X No. 1 aims without war.

A second was equally all for war at any price. It was con- THE fident in the might of Germany's Army and Air Force and in her invulnerability to attack from the west

It was the party in closest touch with Hitler, and was constantly pressing him to go ahead regardless of the consequences, and arguing that in any case Britain either would not or could not fight.

There was a third party, which appeared really to believe that Britain's military preparations were being deliberately undertaken with a view to a preventive war, and which consequently argued that war in 1939 was better for Germany than war in 1940

I was repeatedly told by those in closest touch with him that Hitler himself professed to share this

The war atmosphere was spreading apace. France was now mobillising, and the country was united behind M. Daladier. Britain was also girding up her

loins, and in the middle of July extra fleet exercises had been announced, extra ships were placed in commission and some naval reservists were called up.

The underlying idea was to convince Hitler of our readiness for It apparently failed to convince

Ribbentrop, who to the last continued to assert that England would never fight. I say "apparently" with intention, since I am still unable to credit even Ribbentrop with

seriously to believe that England-

These extracts are taken from the book of Sir, Nevile, Henderson entitled "Failure of a Mission." published by Messrs, Hodder & Stoughton, Ltd.

would fail to honour her obliga-

There is no shadow of doubt that he was all the time saying so, to Hitler and to everyone. But that he believed himself what he said seems to me incredible.

Egging on the Fuehrer

By 1930 Hitler had become so great in his own esteem that he could afford to discribe his Foreign Minister as the 'second Bismarck. He often sald so to others, and no one was surer that it was so than Ribbentrop him-

But the world had yet to be persuaded that it was so, and for this a war was necessary.

To ensure war any means were legitimate. If he could persuade Hitler, who possibly needed little persunding, to go to extremes by representing England as afraid of war, all the better.

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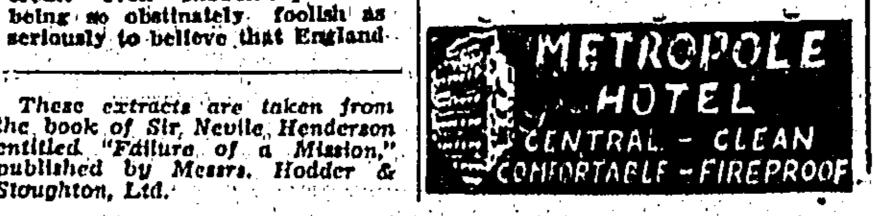
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MALAYA UNDER NAZIS' RULE

(Continued from Page 6.)

(the noblest part of his equipment). He has not read the Vedas. the Mahabharata, or the Confucian Analects. He would scorn to do 50 if he could. To him they are the scribblings of non-Aryan sub-

men, beneath contempt. Since the Nazis propounded their revolting doctrine of world domination the little spots on the German moral leopard have grown to the size of dinner plates. Woe beilde Malaya if ever it were in the position of Poland and Czecho-

Slovakla—under the Nazi heel.

To most of us this is almost too obvious for mention but if you were to get hold of one of those little leaflets, cyclostyled on wrapping paper in pale ink that has blotted and run, in the handwrlting of boys who have failed to pass their junior middle school, you would receive the impression that British imperialism is a dreadful thing than which nothing could be worse. I am not concerned to defend British imperialism or to prove that it is the most enlightened system of government that the human mind could conceive. You live under it and can judge for yourselves. But one thing I can say. If anyone would willingly substitute for it the imperialism of Nazi Germany the only proper place for him is the padded cell. Well- I have finished with my nightmare. The Swastika is 8,000 long miles away over seas guarded by the British Navy or over land

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A Look Through Une Bleegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

Queen Victoria owns a block of houses

A black snake four feet long was killed in the gutter outside the Masonic Club,

about dusk last evening. For the first time in the history of steam shipping in China the Austrian flag 12.30. Mozart - Symphony No. 29 is represented on the Yangisze. The British steamer Anchin Maru, which for Sir Thomas Beecham conducting the past three months has been running the London Philharmonic Orchestra. on the Yangtsze, changed her flag last will after undergoing an overhauling, and

25 YEARS AGO

Field Marshal Bir John French has polsonous gases in which he says: They have been ejected from pipes laid in the trenches and also by shells specially manufactured. German attacking troops and specially designed respirators, and this all points to a long methodical preparation on a large scale. The report emphasises that a week before Germany used the method, a Berlin communique announced that the British were using asphyxiating gases—then there appeared no reason for this astounding falsehood, but now it is obvious that that was part of a scheme, and shows the Germans recognised the illegality of the method and were anxious to forestall neutral and possible domestic criticism. Moreover, nince the method was first used, the enemy adopted it both for offence and defence whenever the wind was favourable. The effect was not merely that of 8.33 Variety with Gracie Fields, disabling, or even painlessly fatal as suglilly Mayerl, Sandy Powell & Others.
9.15 London Relay—Nows Sumportion die a painful, lingering death. it appears that those surviving are per-manently injured in the lungs and will possibly be invalids for life. These effects must be well known to the German scientists who devised the method, and also to the military who sanctioned its definitely decided to use these gases as a normal procedure and that protests will

> The Italian Ambassador had a prolonged conference with Sir Edward Grey.

Speaking in the House of Commons, Mr. Asquith said that Germany's use of polsonous gases was a breach of the Hague Convention and had been clearly committed with deliberate purpose after careful preparation. He emphasised that time would be better spent in counteract. ing such actions than by making repre-

sentations. Reuter's correspondent at Copenhagen eports that the King of Sweden, at Gothenburg, made a speech in which he said the danger of Sweden being involved in the war was as great as before. He emphasised that it was Sweden's Indiapensable duty to observe strict neutrality. and he exhorted all to do nothing to aggravate the country's position and said he was confident in case of necessity the whole nation would be united in defendng the country and liberty.

It is five years ago to-day since King George succeeded to the throne. When King Edward died, the nation felt that it had to take his son more or less on rust. King Edward was known: was the most popular prince, and one of the most popular men, in the world; but of King George all that his subjects knew was that he was a naval officer, and a man of somewhat retiring disposition—who might or might not worthly wear the rown that he had inherited from the Paxon kings by his father's side and from Canute by his mother's. Everything was speculation. The country's relations with foreign Powers were apparently good. but the Empire itself was not by any means at its most peaceable. There was ilsaffection in some parts, minor political unrest in others, while at Home every other man was at his neighbour's throat over Mr. Lloyd George's notorious Budget, the worries connected with which had helped to shorten the days of King Edward. It was little wonder, then that the world watched with lively curiosity the

actions of the new King Emperor. 10 YEARS AGO

Mahatma Gandhi, leader of the civil ilsobedience movement in India has been arrested at Jalaipur' under Regulation Twenty Five of 1927 and will be imprisoned during the pleasure of the Government of India;

At the Roof Garden of the Hongkong liotel, celebrations took place on Wednesday, the 30th of April last, in honour of H.R.H. the Princess' Juliana, only child of Her Malesty the Queen of the Netherlands and the Prince Consort, who came of age on that date.

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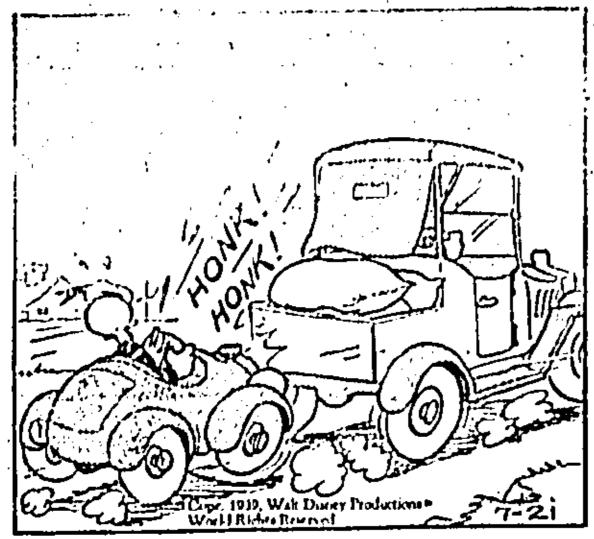
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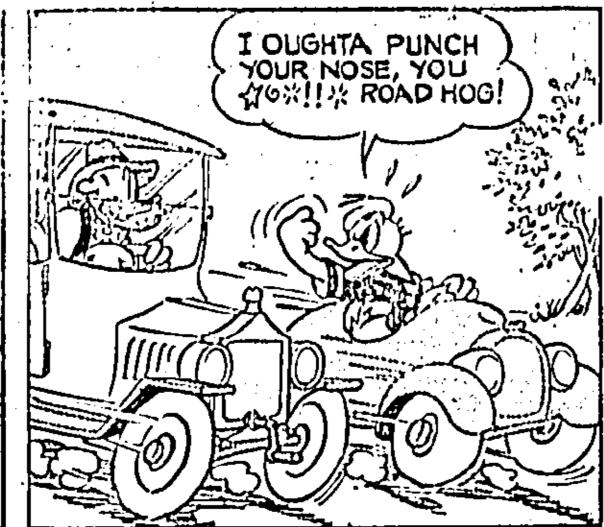
The gigantic French liner Normandle, sailed from St. Nazaire; to-day on her speed trials.

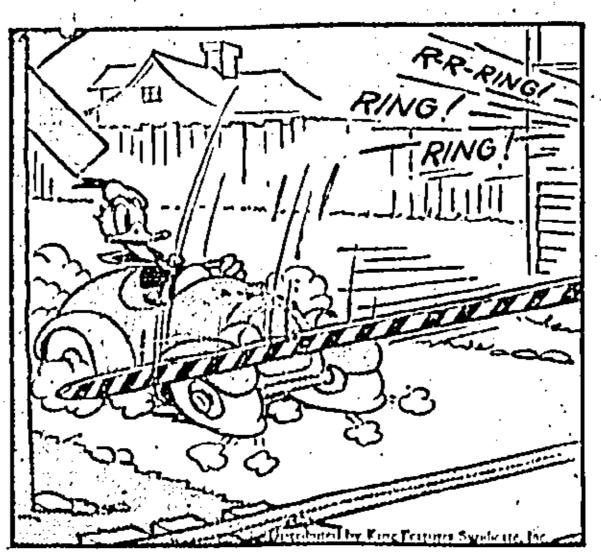
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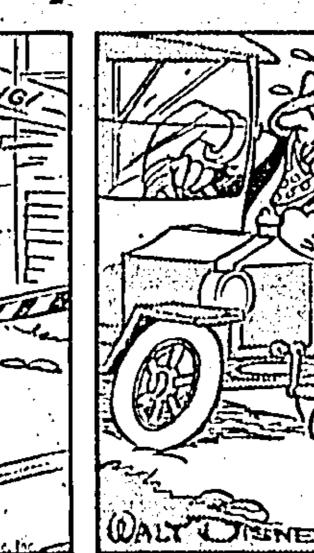
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The P.39 is being produced at Buffalo, New York, by the Bell Aircraft Corporation.

It is a single-sent monoplane, powered by a liquid-cooled Allison engine of 1,000 h.p., and fitted with retractable tricycle undercarriage. Entrance to the covered cockpit is by a side door.

The P.40 is already in production.
Its builders, the Curtiss-Wright Corporation of New York, announced last year that the U.S. Army Air Corps had placed a contract for the P.40, and that it was the biggest order for one type of plane ever signed in peace-time.

Like the Bell P.39, the Curtis P,40_is_an_all-metal_single-scat monoplane with 1,000 h.p. Allison

engine. The Curtiss Corporation was estab-French Air Force and has already given an excellent account of itself over the Slegfried Line.

Speed Secret

The Lockheed P.38 is a singleseater with twin fuselage and twin | | | | | Oh. they want the Allies to Allison engines. As in the case of the Bell p. 39, it has a retractable tricycle undercarriage and is of all-

metal construction.

No details of its speed have been disclosed. The prototype flew across erowds of people, and small laurels Military music was played, and the American continent—from Bur-and bouquets are discreetly laid at its high officers standing outside the bank, California, to New York in seven hours.

of the groom during the ceremony.

tracted before their marriage.

Nude

ATTACK BOMBER'S NAZI BRITISH CONVOY

On Saturday we published a photograph of a German plane attacking a British Convoy, with anti-aircraft gunfire

bursting around it. Here is another photograph of the same incident. It shows an attendant destroyer's guns going into action as the raid is launched. Smoke from one of the destroyers 4.7 inch guns as she fires on the attacker. The bombers sunk two neutral ships in the Convoy and damaged two others.-Copyright.

Nazis Warn "Don't Forget Black-Out"

Nuzi radio stations again warn the German people not to forget the black-out regulations.

It was stressed that the regulations referred not only to big towns but the whole of the country, and houses, . buildings and cars must strictly conform to the rules.

Heel German-

Seven-Eighths of an Iceberg Is. Under Water

A traveller from Copenhagen states that the Danish capital, once one of the gayest in Europe, has been plunged into despair. Day by day it is dawning upon the Danes what occupation by

German troops means. Germans arrived a Nazi war film | States. from Poland was shown at the Dagmar Theatre.

warning words and mentioned what proprietor smiled and apologised. happened to a nation which resisted "It is verboten,"

This memorial is a statue of a Danish soldier carrying a little wounded trumpeter who has insisted upon being carried back into the line to rally Danish troops, thus bringing a turning-point in a battle.

Army Chagrin

In Army circles chagrin prevails as there is talk of Denmark's lost honour, olthough it had been a foregone conclusion that if ever the Germans to defend the land effectively.

Train services are greatly reduced. Suburban trains which used to leave was found in a manuscript col- at a church in Birmingham, England, he said. "We're all pro-British now.

King Christian is said to appear Library by the PWA historical first to perform the ceremony, but "broken up." It is believed that he records survey. The ceremony married the pair when he could find was for some time undecided before he agreed to sign the proclamation of surrender. His Ministers reasoned of surrender. His Ministers reasoned with him on the uselessness of de- hill. fence and the disaster it would bring to Denmark at small expense to Germany. believed, were common in England features.

· Landed With Bicycles

German troops landing at Aalborg were resisted by Danish troops. The Germans overcame them after or chemise, the bride at times were hole in the door to grasp the hand casualties on both sides. The Germans landed with bleycles, and a detachment rode off to occupy the

There seems to be no organised woman who was in debt he would boycott of newspapers. Dance just do not wish to read the he received her at the hands of the these parts by the groom furnishing "that if Britain went down, they German news, and are not convinced minister or magistrate with any of the bride with her trousseau, retain- would be at the mercy of Hitler?" when, under neadlines such as her property. It also was believed ing title to the clothes himself. This "We don't want Hitler to win." he "Foreign reactions" and "News from that if a woman married a man who was done in the presence of witnesses said. "You see, the Irish people are abroad," the most outlandish and was in debt, his creditors could not to provide factual testimony in case against him because of his persecuunimportant newspapers are quoted take her property to satisfy them the husband was subject to a suit for tion of the Catholics. for sympathy with the German action, provided he received nothing from any debt his wife might have con- "If there was no partition in Eire." at the expense of reactions in such her.

At a special performance of this proprietor to turn on the Swedish illin the German Minister spoke in wireless news one evening but the

Germany in Copenhagen attracts outside the Hotel d'Angleterre.

On Hitler's birthday a German exceptionally high. A memorial of the 1864 war with parade was held in Kongens Nytory,

For four days before the important countries as the United

Nazi Parade

My informer asked a restaurant

hotel took the Nazi salute.

Sometimes

ding gown was simply a sheet.

and the American colonies.

on a belief that if a man married a

nothing at all.

Brides of 1700

Record of this unusual attire! Appearance of a nude bride-elect

"smock marriages" was a white sheet, and extend her hand, through a

be held liable for her indebtedness if cords, immodesty was overcome in

The unusual procedure was based their hands out at the sides.

The Bell Aircraft Corporation was formed in 1935. Its president, Mr. Lawrence D. Bell, is well known in LONG

DUBLIN.

EIRE IS NEUTRAL in the present war, but there seems to be no question about the sympathies of the people. Those who are not actually friendly to Britain are hostile to Hitler.

The first man tackled on the subject was, a newslished in 1910. Its Hawk fighter has paperman who appeared to have no bigoted opinions on been supplied in large numbers to the any of the common topics of political controversy.

withdrew gracefully,

"How do the people feel about the | brothers with England." He was off again on his favourite subject, and I war?" a correspondent asked him.

"They're glad to be out of it," he

replied with conviction. "But where do their sympathics

win, of course." The next was a rather dispassionate

and apparently shrewd observer who was for Cosgrave and against De Its performance is believed to be Valera. He agreed that the people were glad to be out of the war and that they sympathised with the Allies. "What about the I.R.A. "They don't count," he said. "If

it wasn't for German-American money there would be nothing heard of them. "The people generally are all for the Allies.'

The Friendly Man

A friendly man in the hotel lounge saw me drinking coffee, invited me to make it whisky, and, with that genial Dublin insistence that won't be denied, made it in double instead of HAVERHILL, Mass.—At least one New England bride of the requested single. Then he told me a large part of the story of his attacked it would be quite impossible the early 18th century had an economical trousseau. Her wed- life, many years of which had been spent in Canada.

I put the question to him. "No' a doubt in the world about it," lection in the Andover Public in 1797, precipitated dissension in I'm pro-British for the first time in the Andover Public the parish. The minister refused at my life.

"My father was a rate-collector, and my mother was a rebel-rest their souls—but I am pro-British now. We all know there's no question about the right or wrong of this

Modesty generally forbade such exhibitions and various expedients I sought out a Republican, a mildmarriage ceremonies were were devised to accomplish the demannered little man who had once called "smock marriages" and, it is sired effect and avoid undestrable played a part in politics, and who, though not an active member of the I.R.A., was in sympathy with their One method was for the un- alms and in favour of their methods. Although the usual costume of the clothed bride to stand in a closet

Religion One Reason

He entertained me for a time with Others stood behind screens and put the tale of Ireland's grievances. When he stopped for breath, I asked him about Irish sympathies in the war. Eventually, according to the re- He hesitated.

"Don't the people feel," I asked

he said, "we would be as friendly a

for soldiers

UNABLE to get enough meal for their pigs, Isle of Wight farmers asked a Ryde baker to bake bread for the troops.

They offered to pay him twopence a gallon more, than the Government—pays—for—baking

bread for the troops. The baker asked the local food officer if it would be all right for him to bake bread for the pigs. The food officer said "Certainly

not," and then he told the

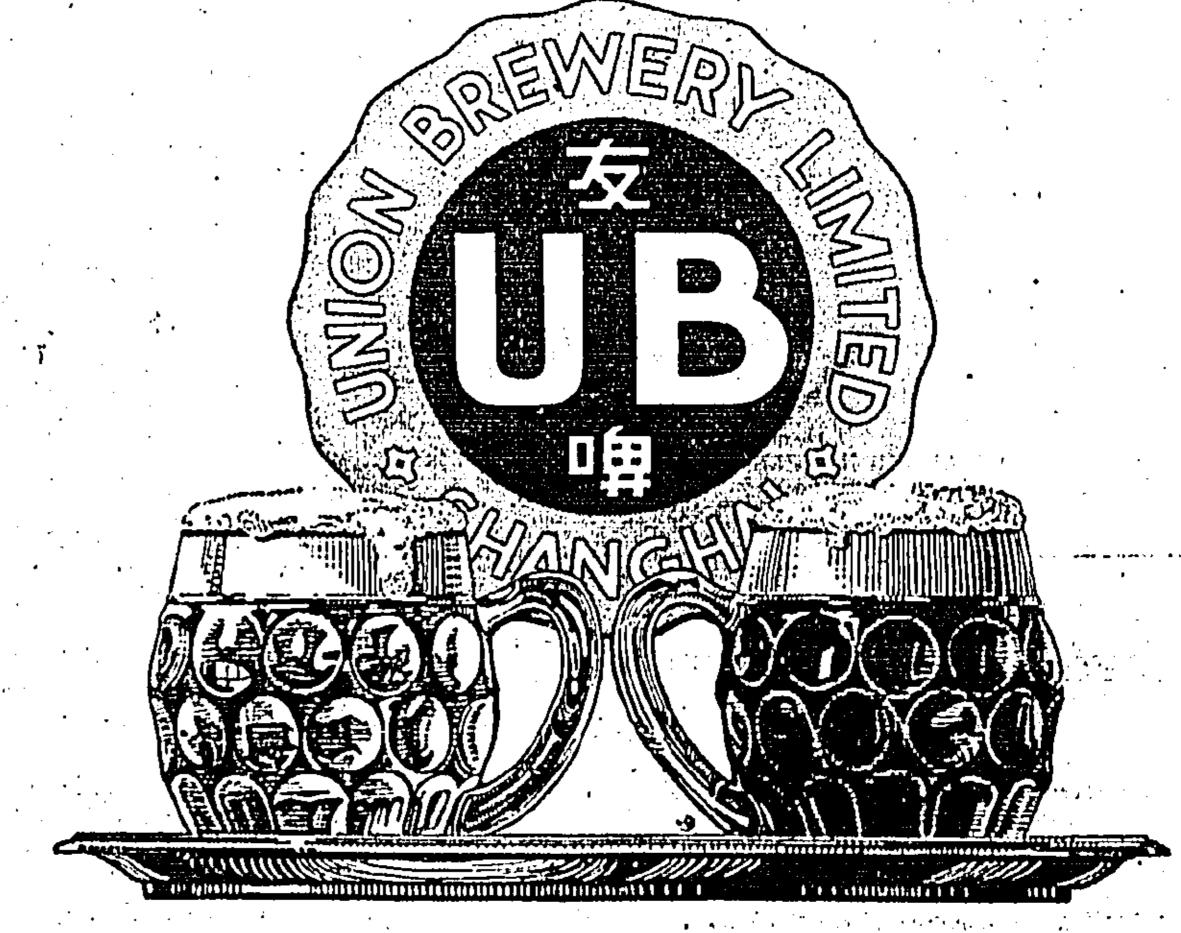
food control committee about it.

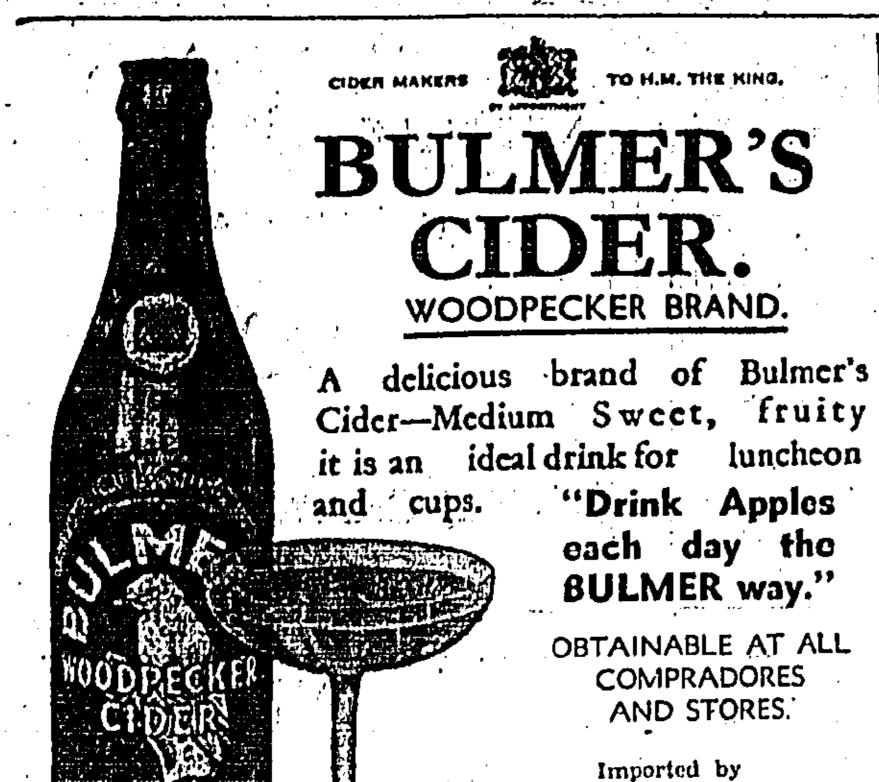
The committee decided that he was right, and further they will bring the matter at once to the attention of the Ministry of Food.

DIPLOMATS CONFER

Norway,-Reuter Bulletin.

London, May-5. The Norwegian Foreign Minister, Professor Koht, and the Norwegian Defence Minister arrived in London to-day to consult the British Government. With them were the British Minister to Norway and his wife and the wife of the French Minister to





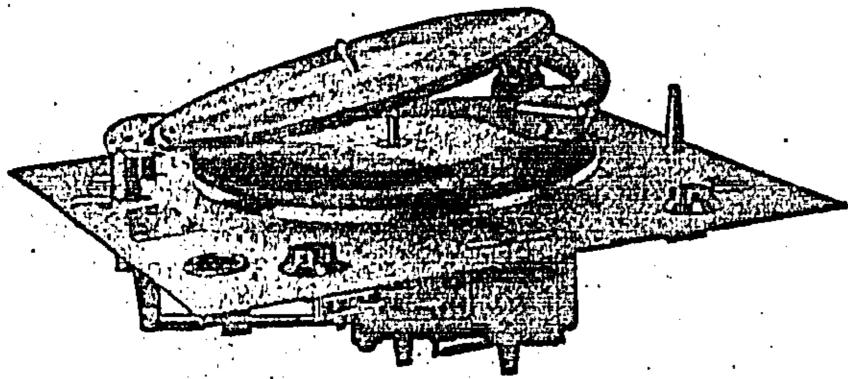
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Germans in Britain

When one speaks of Germans to-day one is apt to forget that there are large numbers of them who are scattered over the world, homeless, and without the rights of citizens. In Great Eritain alone there are more than 50,000 refugees from Germany or Austria, most of whom love their native country, yet desire its defeat in war. Their position has become even more difficult than before the outbreak of war, for they can neither return to their native land nor be certain that they will not be regarded-as-dangerous-enemy aliens in the country of their asylum.

To the authorities in Britain

they presented a problem which demanded delicate handling, for it was obvious that many of these Germans might be useful to the Allied cause, but among them were a few who might be agents of the enemy. A solution was found by the appointment of a larger number of tribunals which were instructed to deal as quietly as possible with the foreigners whose cases they to examine, sending suspicious cases to internment camps, imposing mild restrictions on others, and leaving the remainder free to do what they liked. Of the 62,000 Germans or Austrians whose cases were reported on before January 15, only 120 were interned, 5,416 placed in the second were category, while 42,697 were released from all restrictions.

The last named are free to take up any occupation they like, and nearly 1,000 have actually joined the British fighting forces. It is one of the advantages possessed by the Allies that they have on their side large numbers of wellinformed and highly intelligent Germans who understand conditions in Germany and the psychology of the German people, and are now ready and anxious to put their knowledge at the disposal of Britain and France. In expelling Jews and making their country unsafe for other Germans who have disagreed with the regime, the Nazis have made a present to their opponents of some of Germany's best intellects.

MALAYA UNDER THE RULE OF THE NAZIS-A NIGHTMARE

The article below was published in the "Straits Times" and is re-published in the "Telegraph" with acknowledgments to our contem-12 h.p. 35 m.p.g. porary in Singapore. "Hongkong" could well be substituted for "Malaya"

> I found myself walking through the streets of Singapore, but there was a curious atmosphere about the place. It did not seem at all like the old Singapore I used to know. I had a heavy, drugged feeling and for a moment I wondered whether the impression of strangeness did not arise from causes within -me and not from changes without. But then I began to notice things that were too unmistribuble to be due to halludindtion. "For one" thing all "the signs over shops and on office doors that used to be in English were in German now-words us long as snakes in thick, squat cursive-style lettering; for another there was a plague of swastikas over the city, on flags, on plaques, on armiets, which struck upon my eye with their sharp outlines. I stared about

me incredulously.

There were Chinese, Indians, and Mainys as there had always been, but they seemed to have lost the carefree air that I remembered. They went about furtively, glancing often to left and right. They did not gather in groups to hugh and chat but walked in twos or threes and hurrledly as if they feared that they might be intercepted. Perhaps the police had something to do with it? There were many more police than I had ever seen but they were not the old Malay mata-matas and the Sikhs. They had disappeared. In their place there were Europeans in brown uniforms and all carrying automatic rifles with their fingers playing at the triggers. Their faces were a frown. From time to time other European and African soldiers in unfamiliar uniforms marched past in detachments carrying rifles. S. A. men, may be! One detachment had a band playing the "Horst Wessel Song" which broke weirdly across the muffled sounds of the city.

Impatient to learn the secret of the mystery I approached a middleaged Chinese who looked like a businessman intending to ask him to explain things to me, but when he saw me he edged away and I realized that he was anxious to avoid any contact with Europeans. Just then one of the European policemen in the strange uniform stepped up to me and speaking sharply in German asked me for my identity card. My German was rather rusty but I understood him and felt automatically in my pocket. To my surprise I found a card there with my photograph on it and a mass of particulars concerning me and my movements and an intersection of official stamps. The policeman looked at it carefully and then handed it back to me with a curt nod. I saw him approach others, Asiatics included, in the same way and then I realized that no one could be at large without an identity card.

My experiences were disconnect--ed--and-often-confused---but--therewere extremely clear and lucid intervals, more intense and disturbing than I can describe. I found myself at a book-stall looking for the familiar "Straits Times," "Free Press," or "Tribune," seeking no doubt, for the solution of the mystery of what had happened to Singapore. But I could find none of them. All the newspapers were in German and I picked up a "Singaporische Beobachter" paying for it with a nickel five pfennig piece I found in my pocket. edged away into a corner to look

My German, as I say, was rusty but I could get the gist of the news and the articles. (How grotesque the heavy black type looked against the well-known background of Battery Road—Berchtesgadenstrasse was the name I caught sight of on a wall). I was astonished at the tone of the paper—so different from the catholic outlook and interest of the old press of Singapore. A new struggle was to come, this time with America, it seemed, and the paper was striving to lash up hatred of that country and of its people. The Americans, it appeared were trying to encircle the Great German Empire and to deny it its Lebensraum in the wide prairies of the Middle West, and to deprive it of access to the cotton fields of Georgia and Carolina so essential for Greater German clothes and Greater German bombs. The U.S.A. was an effete democracy controlled by Jews, negroes, and Chicago gangsters etc.—all the old stuff but even more violent and rabid. There was some Malayan news but it read strangely. A demonstration of Hitler Youth was to be held in Penang, a conscript labour battalion was to be reviewed on the Goeringplatz in Singapore. Three hundred Chinese, one hundred and eighty Indians, and

seventy. Malays had been sent to the concentration camps at Segamat, Kojang, and Pulau Jerejak for crimes against the German state. I noticed, too, that a department called the State Tin and Rubber Control seemed to own all the mines and estates and there were figures showing the exports to Germany which absorbed nearly all the output. There was also an official notice by the Stadtsamt stating that workers who did not produce their quota or who falled to put in an average of twelve hours a day for six days a week would be punished by being deprived of their ration cards. All food was rationed, I gathered. I

saw a reference too to the Koenig-Marshal Goering Ten Year Plan of Self-Sufficiency for Malasian India (Good God, I thought, had they got the Netherlands Indies tool) But my dizzy head failed to piece it all together to make complete sense. Now I was looking for the vernacular press. Perhaps there I should find a clue, I asked a Malay where I could get "Warta Malaya."He looked at me suspiclously for a moment and then sald,. "Lama suda berkunji tuan!" It had been suppressed. Of course it had. There could be no room for a paper advocating Malayan na-tionalism. I asked for the "Sin Chew Jit Poh," the "Union Times," or the "Sin Kuo Min Jit Poli,"

VICTOR PURCELL

They had all disappeared. All could get was a single sheet written in very bad Chinese which spoke of the duty of the Chinese to serve the Greater Germany. There was not a word in this paper—the Tai Tak Kwok Yat Po or the German Chinese Gazette it was called about the Sino-Japanese War which I had seen from a small in the "Singaporische Beobachter" was still going on Chinese nationalism, though, was referred to in a leading article as a dangerous heresy which was adhered to only among the criminal classes of the Chinese in Malaysian 'India.

My recollection, as I have said,

is discontinuous and imperfect

but I do remember that I began

to feel a little more resigned to this monstrous world though more curious than ever to know what had happened to the land I had lived in. I managed to talk to a number of the people who seemed dreadfully afraid of the police and would speak only when they were sure that they were unobserved. But I was able to piece together the things they told me and gain a general impression of the shape of things that had come to pass. There were no longer any Malay States or Malay rulers. They had been abolished. The Germans did not recognize the principle of protectorates. The whole of Malaya and the Netherlands Indies had become a single German colony under a Governor-General in Singapore. The Legislative, Federal, and State Councils had gone. All the powers of government were vested in the Eastern Branch of the Nazi Party, itself responsible to the Nazi Party of Germany. Arising in Kelantan had been ruthlessly suppressed and over 30,000 Malays had been killed. Education had been standardized under a Nazi programme. All the Malay, Chinese, and Indian schools had been taken over by the government. German was taught in all the schools but only so much as would enable pupils to understand the commands of their overseers or to use the tools of their trade. There were a few middle schools in which a higher standard was taught but these were merely factories for producing clerks and the textbooks were full of the glories of Naziism and the glories of the Aryan Race and the highest function of the graduates, they said. was to serve their German masters without question. One Indian told me how he had been flogged for being in possession of a pamphlet of the illegal Congress Party.

Here my recollection becomes vague again. The dull chloroformed feeling returned to me. The veil lifted for a second or two at a time and I seemed to be travelling in a train. The carriage was labelled "Aryans Only" and I saw Asiatics being herded into trucks in another part of the train. I heard the guttural shouts of a German major who was swelling at the neck and cursing an Asiatic official of some sort. It took me back to Germany when I was a prisoner-of-war. When my recollection cleared I found myself in surroundings that were again familiar. I recognized the streets and the building of Kunia Lumpur. But it was a changed-an unnatural Kuala Lumpur. It seemed a city of condemned souls, a limbo of hopelessness. Petaling Street which had been so full of animation was like a Chinese cemetery on All Soul's Day. There were shell holes and bullet marks on the buildings which I could not explain. Gangs of coolies passed through the streets marching under overseers. The overseers carried whips. There was a curlew at dusk and the old bright lights of

my time shone no more. Now I was treading the staircase of the old Supreme Court. A trial was going on. A German was charged with listening-in to the American wireless. He was sentenced to six years penul servitude. But I could see no Asiatics anywhere except the court ushers and interpreters for witnesses. I met an educated, looking Indian in the

corridor. "Where are the Asiatics?" I asked hlm in English, "Where are the Chinese and Indian lawyers?"

He gazed at me in autonishment, I repeated by question and then he, seeing that I was genuinely ignorant and that we were alone, put his finger to his lips and sald in a whisper.

"They have been abolished. Surely you know that? Where have you come from? I was a lawyer once with a big practice-under the English of course. Now I am an interpreter on forty, marks a month. It is either that or the concentration camp at Kajan. But haven't . you . read 'Mein Kampf'? Don't you know the passage about native lawyers and semi-apes?" He smiled bitterly, "Is that it?" I exclaimed, "But

where are the courts for Asiatics?" "They have another court, Where the Magistrate's Courts used to be. But there is no code of law, no lawyers to argue. Everything is decided by the German magistrate. The punishment is heavy fines or flogging—sometimes worse. Even for trivial offences. The prisons and the camps are full. Life is ghastly. Rations you can't live on. There is nothing you could buy in the shops if you had the money. The Ten Year Plan comes first and last. But," he added gritting his teeth and a savage light coming into his eyes. "Their time will come. The Americans will blockade Malaya and we shall

A policeman was coming along the corrider. My Indian friend turned quickly on his heel. Shapes become indistinct again, I felt I wanted to cry out like a man who was being suffocated-and then, thank God, I woke up!

What a marvellous relief it was to find myself in my bed, bathed though I was in a cold sweat. I went to the verandah of the house in which I was staying and there was the Union Jack still flying over Government House. A mata-mata was on his beat down below at the corner. I could see the British warships in the harbour. Once again, Thank God! It had been nothing but a ghastly nightmare!

Now a few of you who have read my nightmare may be inclined to think that it is a mere fantasy full of exaggerations and stretchings of possibility. Mere propaganda in fact. Now listen to this.

The Right Honourable L. S. Amery, one-time Secretary of of State for the Colonies, tells us that no special criminal code for natives of German colonies was ever worked out. In 1912 the German Reichstag Deputy, Dr. Mueller, said:--

"Our civil and military administration of justice is simply indefensible....With regard to native justice and administration there exists an incredible uncertainty concerning the powers of the administrative authorities.....One judge uses the German Penal Code -without-further-ado,-another-doesnot use the Penal Code at all.... In short our criminal proceedings are in a condition which leaves the native entirely without rights." In 1906, another Deputy, Herr

Storz, had said:— "Nothing shows the difference in the position as to the rights of natives in German and English colonies so much as the administration of justice; the English solemn, carnest, entirely hedged in by guarantees of justice; of the German courts everything without form, and even if the intention to deal out justice be there everything surrounded with the appearance of force and arbitrariness.

Herr Storz went on to point out that whereas English District Commissioners could decide only minor matters, German officials without judicial training could decide on the life and death of natives subject only to the confirmation of the Governor who would invariably go by his subordinate, report.

Sir Hugh Clifford, afterwards, Governor of the Straits Settlements, in his official report on Togoland says that the public was excluded from all German courts, every case being practically tried in camera. German magistrates were bound by no criminal code, far less by any code of criminal procedure, in cases where natives were concerned. The only criminal code in force in Togoland was expressly applicable to Europeans exclusively. In practice this meant that any native, no matter how innocent of an Intention to give offence or how unconscious he might be of having done so was liable to be flogged or otherwise punished by almost any German official whom he had the misfortune to displease.

The statements of Deputies like Judge Rocren, Herr Bebel, and others in the Reichstog debutes confirmed this, as well as the terrible severity of the punishment inflicted. Deaths caused by floggings were frequent. Not only men, but women and children were liable to flogging. One of the revolts in the Cameroons was caused by Deputy-Governor Kleist ordering the flogging of twenty women. wives of native soldiers, for being lazy. The : native soldiery and native police, indeed, were generally given a dangerously privileged position in order to attach them to their rulers. On the other hand the native chiefs themselves were continually, flogged. Do not imagine that it was mere-

ly underlings who committed these

brutalities. The very head of the administration could be guilty. In 1897, as the result of Reichstag protests, Dr. Karl Peters, then Im-perial Commissioner in German East Africa, was brought before a disciplinary court in Germany on a variety of counts. Evidence was given of terrorism, plunder, the flogging and chaining of women and children, forced concubinage, and murder. The most atroclous of his crimes was the hanging of a native youth, ostensibly for stealing cigarettes, really for visiting Petera's native concubines. One of them had fled for protection to a neighbouring chief, and was also hanged after having been flogged day after day until her back re-sembled 'chopped meat.' Peters was dismissed the service—not for the crimes he had committed, but for giving false reports to his superiors. Subsequently he was granted his pension, and a statuein his honour was crected at Dar-es-Salaam. Herr Hitler has described him as 'a model, if stern, administrator.' 'A model, if stern, administrator'!

Under the government of Herr von Puttkamer in the Cameroons. the Akwa chiefs petitioned to the Reichstag in 1905 against the excessive flogging and ill-treatment of their people, and were promptly arrested and sentenced to long terms of imprisonment for their audacity (Have you ever heard of that happening to persons in Malaya who dared to petition the Secretary of State?). The matter was taken up in the Reichstog, the sentences on the chiefs quashed, and the whole administration of the Colony inquired into, with the result that the Governor was found. guilty of 'administrative laxity,' fined £50, and retired.

And there are many other cases which I have no time to mention. In my nightmare I imagined the suppression by the Nazis of a rising in Kelantan. Is this fancy or exaggeration too? Listen.

In German South-West Africa there was a tribe of natives called the Hereros. It was the settled policy of the Germans to compet them to work as hired Inbourers upon the lands they had heretofore owned. To begin with they were allotted cattle reserves. "These cattle reserves," wrote Herr-Karl Dove, "are an obstacle to the economic development of the country, for it is without doubt owing to this reason "that so few of the Hereros enter the service of Europeans," while the Deutsche-Sudwest-afrikanische Zeitung, the German South West Africa Times, stated that "the country must be inhabited by white colonists... Therefore the natives must disappear, or rather put themselves at . the disposal of the whites, or retire into the reserves set apart for

In the end the government decided that they must disappear. and with characteristic German thoroughness set about causing them to disappear. In the Herero. War of 1904-1906 General von Trotha deliberately pursued a policy of extirpation, driving the: whole tribe into the Kalahari De--sert.`-- At -the--end--of--the--struggle only 15,000 Hereros were left out of a population of 80,000.

In 1905 the Maji-Maji rising in East Africa led to the killing off. by: the rifle and by: starvation of 120,000 natives. Before General Von Trotha be-

gan his campaign at massacre he issued a proclamation. "The Hereros nation must leave the country. If the people do it not I will compel them with the big tube.' Within the country every Herero, with or without a rifle. with or without cattle, will be Now I have not been raking

through the records to find facts discreditable to the German administration. No raking was required. The instances of ruthlessness and cruelty stand out in any account of the German colonization in Africa. "It was impossible in Africa to get on without cruelty," said Herr Dove. All this was before the last war.

In those days there was some democracy in Germany. Humane men could criticize: questions could be asked by Deputies in the Reichstag: Germany was sensitive to world opinion. Since then Blood and Iron have come back. into their own. The Nazis make it plain beyond all doubt that the only business of colonies is to serve: the arbitrary, will of the ruling: race. The following words of Hitler have been quoted by His Excellency the Governor. They cannot too often be brought to the notice of those who might forget the Nazi gospel and the intention of the Nazis if they were victori-

"One hears from time to time," says Herr Hitler in "Mein Kompf": "that a negro has become a lawyer, teacher, tenor or the like. This is a sin against all reason. It is criminal lunacy to train a born semi-ape to become a lawyer. it is a sin against the Eternal Creator to train Hottentots and Kaffirs' to intellectual professions." And we need not imagine that Herr Hitler regards Asiatics in a much more favourable light than he does negroes. All who are not Aryans, the Superior Race, are inferior, and all who are not Europenns, even if not semi-apes, are no more than sub-men. We need have no doubt us to what would hoppen to Malaya under Nazi rule, The Fuehrer's scholarship is confined to the study of invective, chicanory, and the uso of untrowell "PLEASE Turn To Page 4."

ASSAULTED POLICE **OFFICER**

Incident Outside Hongkong Hotel

M. D. Dietrich, of Prince Edward Road, appeared before Mr. R. E. Edwards at the Central Magistracy this morning and was fined \$70 on charges of assault and behaving in a disorderly manner.

He was charged with assaulting Sub-Inspector Oram at Pedder Street and behaving in a disorderly manner at the Central Police Station. Mr. W. A. Mackinley pleaded guilty on behalf of the defendant. Wanted To Fight

Sub-Inspector Oram sald that at 1.30 n.m. on Sunday, he saw defendant outside the Hongkong Hotel. Defendant was going to fight another

Sub-Inspector Oram requested him not to fight and told him to leave before he got into any trouble. "Who the hell are you," asked defendant. Sergenht Brown, who was present, then produced his identity

At this stage, said Sub-Inspector Oram, defendant passed several re-

These were written down and handed to the Magistrate to read. Continuing, Sub-Inspector Ornm said that defendant struck him on the left eye. "Your Worship can see where he

struck me," he continued. Defendant was taken into custody and at the Central Police Station made further remarks. These were also written down and handed to the

Magistrate in Court. No Recollection Of Affair Mr. Mackinley said that the incident was very unfortunate and that

the defendant had no recollection of It at all. He remembered going to the Hongkong Hotel and woke up in the Police Station,

"He was throughout the whole time very much under the influence of liquor," continued Mr. Mackinley, "and it was that alone which was responsible for the whole of this unfortunate incident. This is the first time defendant has been in trouble." Mr. Mackinley asked the Court to take a lenient view of the whole incident.

"I am instructed by defendant," he continued, "to express his sincere regret to the officers concerned." Defendant was fined \$70 - \$60 on the charge of assault and \$10 on the charge of behaving in a disorderly

Manchukuo Invaded Frontier Violation By

TOKYO, May 6 (Reuter).— A great sensation was created in Hainking following the revelation of a brush on the eastern border between Russia and Manchukuo.

Soviets Reported

It is alleged that Soviet soldiers invaded Manchukuo territory near Laowengling, in Mutankiang Province, at 7 a.m. on May 4 and fired on five Manchukuo guards, according to a Japanese report from the capital of Manchukuo.

Police Sergeant Shot police sergeunt, lishimati, it is alleged, was shot through the left

.About six: Soviet soldiers with military dogs penetrated into Manchukuo territory near Tungning in the same province at noon and withdrew after reconnoitring along the

The Manchukuo authorities, it is added, are paying attention to the recurrence of these illegal actions.

No Tientsin Agreement

Japanese Newspaper Report Denied

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter)..... There is no confirmation in London of the report in the "Nichi Nichi Shimbun" that Sir Robert Craigle, the British Ambassador to Japan, and the Japanese Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs have reached a basic agreement regarding the Tientsir issue, especially "the problems of the maintenance of order and the transfer of silver."

It is understood that there is no who had attended the Primary truth in the report. This is The Report Which

London Has Denied the children played games in the TOKYO, May 6 (Reuter).-The grounds, where there were also Canadian regiments at Aldershot British Ambassador, Sir Robert swings, sea-saw and a slide. Sports Craigie, called on Mr. Masayuki were held on the upper lawn, with Tani, the Vice-Minister of Foreign flat races, potato races and sack races Affairs, on Saturday morning.

The interview tested about the same, one could appreciate the great difficulty of install-law for boys and girls, an obstacle race Alice, the Countess of Athlone. The interview lasted about two for boys and a skipping race for girls.

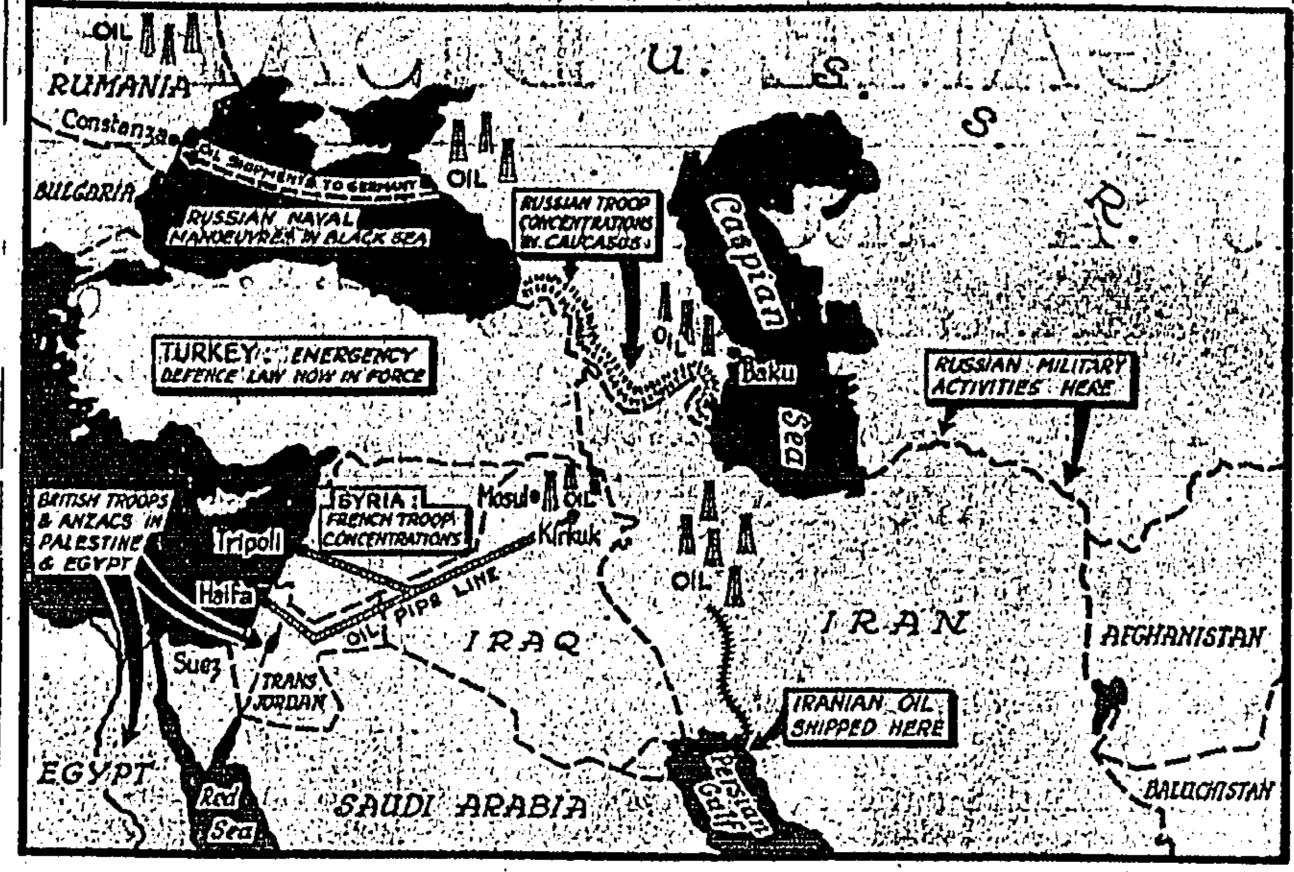
A basic agreement of views on the later there was a variety entertainlong-pending Tientsin Issue, with ment, with conjuring tricks by a special reference to the problems re- group of Chinese artistes, and songs chine-gun training. garding the maintenance of peace and dances. and order in the concessions and the transfer of silver, was reached at and the British Ambassador at the Highlanders, the Edmonton Regiment give more support to the movements

A memorandum on the matter, the "Nichl Nichl" continues, the British paper declares, will be formally sign- Government seems to have conduct- The Rt. Hon. Mr. Vincent Massey, Norway, the Germans have long lines ed by Japan, Britain and France. | ed negotiations with the Chungking Canadian High Commissioner in of communications still open to at-As for the problem regarding the Government and France, and to have London, and the Rt. Hon. Mr. Norman lack. maintenance of pence and order in completed the necessary arrange-Rogers, the Canadian Minister of the concessions in Tientsin, a basic ments with them. In the Baron Hiranauma Cabinet, the paper adds.

NEWS MAP of the NEAR EAST

Middle East at a glance. The oilfields | are being watched carefully.

map shows of this area make it of vital importance you the situation in the Near and | to the belligerents. Developments there



Exchange At

A Glance

SELLING

H.K. Stock Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Market this morning. BANKS

Providents \$......4.35 n.

Kailan s/-20/4½ n.

Hotels $\dots, 4\frac{1}{2}$ n.

S'hai Lands Sh. \$......... 16.40 n

Humphreys \$8 n.

H.K. Realties \$......4.40 b.

UTILITIES

China Lights (new) \$.....4.90 n.

H.K. Electric \$...........64.70 s.

Macao Electrics \$.........21.10 n.

Sandakan Lights \$......111/4 n.

Telephones (old) \$......28 n.

Telephones (new) \$......10 b.

Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Sh. \$..14.90 n.

Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$...12 n.

Canton Ices \$..... 1 n.

COTTON MILLS

Constructions (new) \$.....1 n

Ch. Govt 5% 1925 G.\$Bds. 52% n.

H.K. Govt. 4% Loan103 n.

Classes regularly during the year were

In the early part of the afternoon

Ten was served in the Hall, and

awarded prizes.

INDUSTRIALS

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ion \$480 sa.	T.T. Bangkok
Ina Underwriters \$85 cts. n.	T.T. Saigon
K. Fire \$175 s.	T.T. France
SHIPPING	T.T. Switzerland
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camboats \$	
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cks \$ (c. rts.)22 n.	U.S. Cross rate in London 4.02
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cks (rts.) \$	

SAFE AT

Lands 4% Debentures100 n. Refugees From Norway Land In England

Chinese Estates \$......103 n. LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).— Three Norwegian vessels have reached ports in North Scotland.

Peak Trams (old) \$......8 n. Peak Trams (new) \$.....4 n. Those on board include Nor-Y. Ferries \$ x. d.22.85 n. wegian and British refugees and China Lights (old) \$.....7.90 n. several women and children.

> The skipper of a Norwegian fishing boat, who believes that his was the last vessel to escape from Alexand, suid that German planes bombed and machine-gunned people who were fleeing from the town in small open boats. He did not, however, see any boat hit by a bomb.

Narrow Escape

for 30 years has been manager for Dairy Farms \$...... 22 n. the British Aluminium Company in

Wing On (H.K.) \$1.........39 n. He said they just escaped with nearly a score of others crossed the S'hai Cotton Sh. \$...........250 n. ing boat.

H.K. Entertainments \$..... 7.20 b. Constructions (old) \$134 n were on the boat. One of them is troops and equipment from ships. aiready serving in a British naval Vibro Piling \$...... Br unit.

H.K. Govt. 34% Loan ... 97 n. Marsmans (Lon.) s/- ... 13/8 n. Canadians Marsmans Inv. (H.K.) s/- ... 4/- n. SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY St. Andrew's Sunday School held their annual Festival in the Church Grounds on Saturday, when those Smartness

Aldershot Inspection

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter). The on the spot.

They inspected 48 Canadian Highlanders and then watched the Royal Montreal Regiment carry out ma-

the conference, according to the conference in Tokyo last year. and Princess Patricia's Light, Infan- planned for the troops, "Nichl Nichl." A " Sale of the Regarding the silver question, the try.

ingreement was reached between Mr. The French Government has comHachiro Arita, then Foreign Minister pletely agreed to the British formula, General McNaughton, the Canadian daring of the pilots and the efficiency

Germany's Problems

Ultimate Success In Norway Doubtful

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .- The

Swiss "Gazette" says: "Germany's complete occupation of southern Norway seems inevitable, but does not modify the general situation, while the ultimate success of her adventure is still problematical. sheltered by the neutrals. She alone

"Only a month ago, Germany was profited by the use of their territorial waters and benefited by all that Denmark and Norway could supply. Thankless Task

"She now has the thankless task of maintaining the domination of new blockaded countries. Occupation, so dearly bought, by the German Navy, may present momentary economic advantages, but it is doubtful whether it can compensate for the loss of all the benefits the Reich derived from their neutrality."

The "Tribute" says: "The Germans cannot count permanently on the superlority of men and material with which they obtained their first successes. Stabilisation of the front in Norway will be a great disappointment in Berlin where a lightning victory was anticipated, but the Germans are now wondering how to mainatain liaison with their own expeditionary corps.

"A few mountainous provinces cannot compensate for the irreparable losses at sea."

Why Norway Expedition Failed

Allied Task Impossible Without Air Bases

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).— The experience of the Allied air Federation, said: "We have no room force in Norway has pointed to for those dismal pessimists who see An Englishman, Mr. Turner, who one clear conclusion—that you in every fresh phase of our struggle cannot get local air superiority room for doubting the trlumph of the when you have to operate from distant bases against a formidable enemy with acrodromes on the scene of action.

This was the comment made by a You must have strength in the air for a successful land operation, es-

Two Norwegian naval lieutenants pecially if you have to disembark Inland, your infantry is subject to constant observation and bombing if you cannot keep the enemy away by

R.A.F. Problem That has been the problem in Nor-

way. The R:A.F. had to carry out their work with fighters and bombers far from their home base some hundreds of miles across the sen. Our fighters are designed primarily for home defence and not intended to operate at that distance, while our bombers are opposed by fighters operating at short range from bases We have got some of our fighters

under the very nose of the enemy.

Remarkable Achievement Under the circumstances, the way in which our fighters did get into action was a remarkable achievement. Later, they inspected three other It has not been possible for the Allies

There can be no doubt that the of the planes.

NOT VERY PLAUSIBLE

Futility Of Nazi Propaganda

LONDON, May 5' (Reuter).--"For some weeks now examples have been given of the various ways in which the Nazis are trying to put their propaganda across," said a B.B.C. commentator yesterday.

"These examples have shown that the Nazi effort has sometimes been the 'lie direct', sometimes the 'lie indirect' and sometimes a quick change of face. The latter was used when he Nazis took over the Allied war claims and announced that they were going to free Europe from terror and so on."

Continuing, the commentator said that last week Ribbentrop defended the invasion of Norway on the same grounds which Germany used to de-fend her use of poison gas in the last war, i.e. that Britain was about to do the same thing.

Ribbentrop's Failure

Ribbentrop had studied the world reaction after his speech he probably felt saddened to find how sceptical and doubtful the world was

about a German Minister's pledges. Ribbentrop gave his story of how the campaign in Norway had started. The fact that the campaign had started was about the only true thing he did mention.

Hitler, however, then announced that it had ended and the German Army had finished its "mighty task." That was the most interesting effort of Nazi propaganda for the month. It was led up to by statements about how the world approved of the Nazi invasion, how the Norwegians were collaborating and how the British had not sunk a single destroyer at Narvilc.

The Bigger, The Better As a prelude, Dr. Goebbels last week wiped out the British fleet. That was not true then and it is not

Hitler's lie was now a bigger one than it was when he uttered it. . But that probably pleased him for does not "Mein Kampf" say something about "the bigger the lie the

Nazi propaganda had two objects —to unite the Germans and disunite the Allies on the home front. Has it united the Germans?

Various newspapers complain about the number of people trying to get food by devious means. The German radio was angry about people who their newspapers from the "wrong end and mutter if only we. were allowed to talk."

The Norwegian campaign had been second page news in all the papers. Here at home the Prime Minister's speech on Thursday was one such as no German official had dared to make since the Nazis came into

In the House of Commons this speech will be examined and judged.

Wants More Action .

Labour Leader On War_Methods_

LONDON, May 5 (British Wireless).-The attitude of Labour leaders to the war was shown by two speeches made on Saturday. Mr. Ernest Bevin, of the Transport Workers' Union, said that we were tired of hearing how one small ship went out and tackled overwhelming odds and how two fighters went into combat with ten raiding bombers. It was all very well for the country's men to have courage, but what he wanted was equality of weapons. Mr. W. Lawther, of the Miners'

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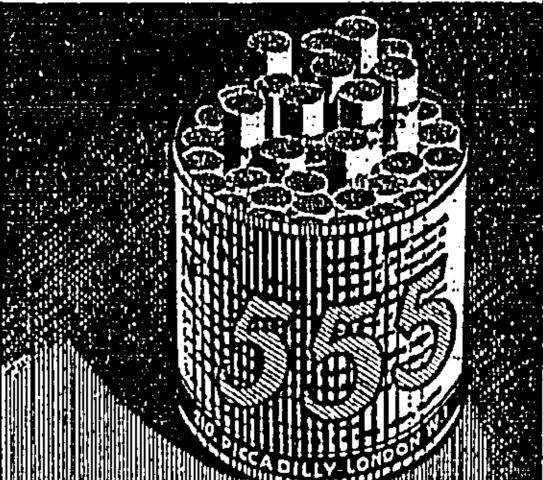
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MONDAY MORNING COMMENTARY NAVY-EASTERN GAME DISAPPOINTS

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH

Poor Passing Spoils Approach Work: Navy Defeated By

(By "Rex")

The Royal Navy, conquerors of South China "A" and "B", met the Eastern team, recently returned from a successful tour of the Philippines, in a disappointing display for two teams who have gained such renown in local soccer circles, at hai centre-half, at left-back and C. T. Tsao, Lido final. and Shanghai left-wing, at inside-left.

Eastern played listless football in the first half, at the end of which the score was tied at 1-1. Play was brisk in the second half, and some good constructive football was

NAVY OPEN SCORE

ing deflected inwards.

Robinson with a nice rising shot.

In one of Navy's raids, Cheng was

kuen, N. Z. Lee; Lo Wal-kuen, Hsu King-

seng, Ng Chi-tsang; Chung Yung-sum, Cheung Kam-hoi, Darky Lee, C. T. Tsao

CINCINNATI

BEAT NEW

YORK GIANTS

New York Glants by 3-2 in the

NATIONAL LEAGUE

-(Fletcher humered for the Plrates).

(Mize and Padgett homered for the

AMERICAN LEAGUE

(Keliner homered for the Indians).

(McNoir homered for the White)

(Case homered for the Senators)

Philadelphia 5

Detroit

St. Louis

Washington

Cincinnati

Philadelphia

Boston

Brooklyn

St. Louis

Robinson gave a sparkling, seen, being continually robbed of the exhibition at goal despite the ball, while Lee Tack-kee was never four goal deficit. He displayed seen as a leader. keen anticipation and remarkaangled shots in fine style.

ever, when they were invelgled into cleverly saved. Lackadaisleal play ground, G. H. Fowler scored both false positioning. Roughly, by his predominated, and much construct goals for the C.B.A. amazing speed, was able to rectify his live work was spoiled on either side mistakes, while Honiwell was not so by lazy passes. fortunate.

and kept Eastern's left flank well beat Lau at close range. From this Middlesex A, and Kumaons beat covered. In the second he allowed reverse, Eastern made great efforts Royal Scots A. them too much scope in his anxiety to wake from their lethnrgy, but it The following were the last eight to concentrate solely on his for- was not till the close of the first half teams

HENDY HARDEST WORKER

[EPAGE was the best forward on Le view in the first half. In the the stolid defence of Eastern to give them some anxious moments. Hendy with a nice hook shot. Eastern drew was the hardest worker throughout the match and fully described his strategies. The stolid defence of Eastern area, and culminated a Sheehan, Pte. Coomer.

Sheehan, Pte. Coomer.

Royal Scots A:—Major Harland; Band—Royal Scot the match and fully deserved his Nichols and passed him to send a Bagh Singh; Pyara Singh, Mohinder vo goals.

Late Hin-hon appeared preeluded Honivell to give the ball to
Sgt. Waldron; Bdms. John, Bdms. Hymas

occupied and was not his usual safe Hau for the latter to run in and beat Pie. Marable,

at his best, but with Cheng Ying- pass to Hau. Darky Lee received Singh, Joginder Singh; Sohan Singh, Chaja kuen managed to present a difficult Hau's centre to beat Robinson with Singh, Darshan Singh. obstacle for Navy. Cheng was the a well placed shot. Eastern were better of the two, clearing strongly, seen at their best at this period.

Hsu King-sing was the best half Tsuo and Hau combined well, and on view. He vaulted, dribbled and with Cheung, made rings round forced his way through Navy de- Navy players. fence to set his forwards on a clear support, Ng being the better com- shot taken at the spot. bination of skill and power.

Cheung Kam-hol was the best through Hau, who was the tailend forward, and executed many of the of a nice movement by Cheung and moves which enabled Eastern to gain Chung. Chung's centre was fisted their victory. T. C. Tsoo and Hau out by Robinson for Hau to obtain Ching-to formed the most dangerous possession and shoot past Robinson left flank, and showed excellent before he could get back into his understanding of each other's play, goal, Chung Yung-sum was hardly ever

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

THE FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 11th and MONDAY, 13th May, 1940, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on Saturday, and at 12.30 p.m. on Monday.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. on the First Day and at 12.00 NOON on the Second Day. The Tiffin Interval will be after the second race (1.00 p.m.) on the Second MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

The temporary green cardboard badges are now cancelled and will The complete results were: no longer procure admission to the Enclosure.

No One without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Such must be worn throughout the duration of each Meeting in such a manner as to be readily identified. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 per day for Gentlemen and \$3.00 per day for Ladies (both including tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal or written application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of all Chits,

The Secretary's Office, 1st floor, Exchange Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 11.45 a.m. on the First Day and at 10.45 a.m. on the Second Day. Timns are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 21020).

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, Sox, and Hayes for the Athletics). and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price. By Order

C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

C.B.A. Win Final Hockey Tournament

Six-a-side Matches Held At King's Park

THE FINAL TOURNAMENT of the Hongkong hockey season,

C.B.A., the Y.M.C.A., the Navy and the Recreto grounds—were occupied, margin. C.B.A. A defeated Submarines A. Queen's College, Kowloon Indian Tennis Club, and Middlesex A to reach the final, and the Kumnons A bent Nomads A, Royal Corps of

THE FINAL, on the Navy ground ble agility to save point-blank MINUTES from the whistle a nice was full of excitement, and the slight IVI movement by O'Regan and drizzle which fell while it was in Navy's defence was at most times Thoburn saw the latter test Lau with progress did not make play easier for excellent. There were times, how- a point-blank shot which was the players, due to the slippery

In the quarter-finals, Middlesex A beat Middlesex B. Central British Association A beat the K.I.T.C., After some pressure by Navy, Royal Scots A beat 36th. Battery, and Honeywell was the best half, de- Hendy received from O'Regan. to Kumaons A beat Royal Engineers A. fence and attack, in the first half fumble his way past. N. Z. Lee and In the semi-finals, C.B.A. A beat

> that Cheung caused Robinson to go C.B.A. "A"—V. C. Bond; T. S. D. Whit-full length to partially save his shot, ley, N. B. M. Whitley; S. A. Fowler, G. the ball striking the upright and be-

Hendy led a determined Navy raid | Middlesex A.-Pte. Stickley; Sgt. Crowrecord, with O'Regan, they pierced on Eastern area, and culminated a ley, Pte. Pearson; Pte. Jackson, Pte.

Royal Engineers A .- Spr. Heath; Sgt. N. Z. Lee, playing in an unnecurtomed position, was not seen and Hsu again broke through to
not ble best but with Chang Ving-

Four teams participated in the St. Yorkshire League.—Bradford 33. Hall-B.G.C. 56-51 at Kowloon. Andrew's seven-a-side tourney on Dewsbury 15, Featherstone 16; Hull Kings-Saturday at King's Park, and result- ton 36, York 10; Hunslet 20, Wakefield 15. ed in a win for the team enptained B. Rochdale 14. Warrington 7; St. Helen's poned: path goalwards. Ng Chi-tslang and pulled up for a foul on Hendy, and by Miss Jessie Wong, who bent Mrs. 12. Oldham 5; Wigan 9. Swinton 2. Lo Wai-kuen lent him excellent Roughly made no mistake with the Bliss' team by a solitary goal. Several players did not arrive, and as a result 14; Bridgend 10, Neath 8; Pontyridd 12, Recreio. Eastern drew ahead soon after the four teams of six-a-side took the Cardin 12.

> Miss J. Wong's team beat Miss F Wong's team by a goal. Mrs. Bliss' team beat Miss Reid's team by a goal. Miss J. Wong's team beat Mrs. Eastern.-Lau Illn-hon; Cheng Ying- Bliss' team by a goal.

and Hau Ching-to. Royal Navy.—Robinson, Roughly, Honiwell; Honeywell, Nichols, Britt; Phippens, LePage, Hendy, Thoburn and O'Regan. INDIAN R.C. ANNUAL SPORTS MEETING

THE NINTH annual athletic meeting of the Indian Recreation Club and a great keenness was predominant throughout the events, which were mainly novelty races. NEW YORK, May 5 (Reuter).-The Cincinnati Reds nosed out the

won by K. Singh, closely followed National Baseball League to-day, by A. R. Markar. At the conclusion of the meet, the

averages for the year were:

Doubles Championship.—S. A. and 100 metres events. Ruminhn and U. A. Ruminhn; Run- At the conclusion of the meet, Mr. FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING, ners-up, A. Rohmin and I. Kitchell. Ngan Shing-kwan, Persident of the ner-up, M. I. Razaek. Handleap Singles.-U. A. Rumjahn; Runner-up, D. M. A. Razack. Handleap Doubles .- S. A. R. Bux and S. Yusuf; Runners-up, T. All and

LAWN BOWLS

F. A. Curreem.

Singles Championship. — D. Khan: Runner-up, A. R. Minu. Pairs Championship, - A. Bakar and S. M. Rumjohn; Runners-up, C. Shipp and D. M. Khan, Rinks Championship.—A. H. Rum- 3, St. Joseph's College (5). John, A. Makor, D. M. Khan and A. CRICKET

1st XI.—Batting, M. P. Madar; Girls' College (36); 2, Sau Nam Cirls' Bowling, A. R. Minu; A. H. Madar, College (11).

Three Close Matches Feature League's Opening Programme

66A99 TROUNCE

CRAIGENGOWER

CRAIGENGOWER sustained their greatest beating when their "A" team beat the 78 shots to 44. Though the result was not a surprise the were seen in action. N. Z. Lee, Lido and Shang- Kumaon Rifles "A" 3-1 in the margin of defeat was. This score, however, was not the mal.
Twelve teams took part in the largest-Kowloon Football Club totalled 84 shots against competition, and four grounds—the the Indian R.C. in the Third Division, but won by a smaller

Kentucky Derby Upset

CHURCHILL DOWNS, Louisville, May 4 (UP).—In the greatest upset in the history of the race and before a crowd of 90,000, the largest to witness a horse race in the United States. Gallahadion won the Kentucky Derby Smalley (Kowloon F.C.), B. D. Evans here to-day.

Bimelech, the favourite, was second, a length behind, and Dit was

There were eight starters, the others being Mioland, Structo, Roman, Royal Man and Pictor. The first prize was U.S. \$00,000, Kumaons A.—Gusseln Singh; Kishen The first prize was U.S. \$00,000, Singh, Krishina Singh; Laii Singh, Nerain and the winner paid its backers \$72.40, \$13.80 and \$4.80,-United

> two lengths, while inches separated second and third. The betting was 59-57 at Hunghom. Gallahadion 25/1, Bimelectr 1/2, and

London, May 5. Results of the rugby matches played yesterday were:

Rugby Union.-Aberayon 17, Newport

1940 Probable Tourists 29.—Reuter.

Three close games were played. In the First Division. though they won on two rinks, the Indian Recreation Club went down by four shots to the Civil Service C.C., while the Kowloon Docks R.C. beat the Police R.C. by two shots, and in the Third Division, Craigengower overcame to 7-8. the Kowloon B.G.C. by five shots. Sixes were recorded by G. C. Moss

(Kowloon C.C.), J. E. Noronha (Recrelo "B"), C. G. Silva (Recrelo Rowing Regatta "A"), A. R. Minu (Indian R.C.), L. . Collyer (Civil Service C.C.), T. W. Carr (Kowloon C.C.), J. T. (Kowloon F.C.), and K. C. Hamilton n (Kowloon B.G.C.). The results were:

FIRST DIVISION

Club de Recreio "A" beat Craigengower C.C. 78-44 at King's Park. Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat the Kowloon C.C. 78-53 on the

Reuter says Gallahadion won by F.C. 71-53 at King's Park. Kowloon Docks R.C. beat the Police SECOND DIVISION

Talkoo, R.C. beat Craigengower

72-54 at Happy Valley. The Kowloon B.G.C. beat Kowloon Tong 64-46 at Kowloon Tong. Kowloon C.C. bent the Civil Service C.C. 69-45 at King's Park. THIRD DIVISION

84-57 at Chatham Road. Craigengower beat the Kowloon

POSTPONED GAMES The following matches were post-

Second Division,-Police v. Kowloon F.C.; Hongkong C.C. v. Club de Third Division.—Hongkong Electric

Friendly .- 1936 Australian Tourists 21; R.C. v. Hongkong C.C.; Prison coxi. Officers v. Hongkong F.C.,

The teams were even, and the score concluded 8-8 The comparative smallness of the football ground was against

The main feature of the game is the spectacular pass-kicking. High marking-when players leap high into the pir to collect these pass-kicks --were more successful as the game The Civil Service C.C. beat the kong Yacht Club's rowing regatta proceeded. Tricky runs down the Indian R.C. 67-63 at Happy Valley. were held at Deep Water Bay on field—similar to those in rugby—and

HEAVIER TEAM THE WHITE TEAM, which won the and surer in high marking. Richard-During the day, G. S. P. Heywood son's long punts were outstanding coxed two winning boats and G. G. and Glendenning and Nicholson were S. Thompson and Hopkins one each, way ahead of most of the others in After the Regatta a most enjoyable robust but clever play. Besler pull-

exhibition. Oxworth kicked a couple of good goals and Sullivan was also prominent. Teams were:

White, Glendenning, Spicer, Kerley, Bester, Johnson, Oxworth, Walker, Hogg, Nicholson, Vivian, Macfarlan, Davidson (19), Gravelly (20). Colours,—Andrews, Finch, Waters, McPherson, Edwards, Hallstones, | Summers, Law, Hubbard, Evans,

Moodie, J. Olsen, G. J. P. Carey, II.
Brewer and H. F. Hopkins, cox); 2, East
gate's crew (K. Nelson, J. Eager, G. Padgett, G. Eastgaté, and A. G. Dalziel, cox);
3, N. D. Hooker's crew (J. Dunnett, L. Ongstad, W. Corneck and J. C. McDouall, latitude but never allowed the game to get beyond him.

(N. J. and N. D. Booker, G. J. P. Carey, McEwan, C. McCormack and A. G. Dal-H. E. Brewer and G. S. P. Heywood, cox): | ziel, cox). Holland (stroked by Buls) was

WOMEN'S NATIONAL BROKEN RECORDS

THE FINAL DAY of the All-Schools and Open Athletic Meet at Caroline Hill on Saturday, saw the breaking of two women's China National records in the 50 metres and Throwing the Baseball. Miss Ip Kamwas held at Sookunpoo yesterday chen, of True Light Girls College, clocked 6.7 seconds for the 50 metres, and Miss Ma Mok-kit threw the baseball 54.50 metress. The previous records were 6.8 seconds, The 100 yards champlonship was and 54.45 metres respectively.

D. H. Taylor, of the Police, prizes were distributed by Mrs. R. won his triple in the Open events, gaining first place in the Winners of the various tennis and javelin throw, having already bowls tournaments and the cricket won the discus throw and the shot putt.

Miss June Hall, too, secured her Singles championship. - H. D. third victory, winning the 50 metres Rumjahn; Runner-up, A. R. Kitchell. dash-having already won the 200

Junior Singles.—I. Kitchell; Run- South China Athletic Association, presented the prizes.

FINAL TEAM STANDINGS Following were the final standings

of the various schools: Boys' "A" grade,-1, Lam Nam race into three sections. College (62 points); 2, La Salle College (20); 3, Wah Yan College (20). Boys' "B" grade.-1, Wah Yan Col- No. 11 and run at 6.30 p.m. lege (52); 2, Pul Ying College (26); Industrial School (4). Boys' "C" grade.-1, Pui Ying Col-

Girls' "A" grade -1, True Light ed only at the Race Course during R. Minu; Runners-up, A. K. Suffad, Girls' College (49); 2, St. Paul's the Meeting. A. M. Rumjahn, S. M. Rumjahn and Girla College (28); 3, Fong Nam Girls' College (14). Girls' "B" grade,-1, True Light

College (19); 3, Chee Hang Girls'

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NOTICE TO MEMBERS

GREEN ISLAND HANDICAP 2nd Day-Monday, 13th May

In view of the number of entries received for the above, it has been decided to divide the The third section will be race

A cash sweep, tickets \$5 each, will be held on this race but "All lege (39); 2, Lim Ying College (7); through" chances will not participate, and tickets can be purchas-

> By Order of the Stewards, C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN RULES EXHIBITION BY NAVAL RESERVES

A SECOND EXHIBITION of Australian Rules, the famous Australian football game, was given by the Naval Reservists at the Police Football ground yesterday, and the game attracted a fair crowd of spectators. The match was between the two ships in the harbour.

L.T.A. Refuse Women's

Plea For "Wimbledon"

THE Lawn Tennis Association has refused an application from Queen's Club to stage a women's "Wimbledon" this summer although most of the women stars have supported the scheme enthusiastically. The L.T.A., has,

Led by Lord Aberdare, chairman of the National Fitness Committee, the Queen's Club officials were planning to hold their annual grass court open tournament not only to balance their books—a feat that can be

managed only with the help of the profits—but to keep alive the interest

in the game. They had been promised the assistance of the leading men

players, most of whom are now serving in the Forces.

in fact, banned all open events:

G. Eastgate Wins Open Sculls

THE FINALS of the Royal Hong-Recreio "B" beat the Hongkong Saturday, and though the weather very fine punts were other highlights was rather against, interest was high of the game. and competition keen. The final of the Open Sculls brought a surprise. G.S.P. Heywood, former holder of encounter, was the heavier, if not the the Challenge Cup, was beaten over faster, was stronger in its kicking the half-mile by G. Eastgate.

dinner dance was held at Repulse Macfarlan gave a very neat, speedy Bay Hotel during which Mrs. A. E. Kowloon F.C. beat the Indian R.C. Grasset presented the prizes won during the season.

THE RESULTS Following were the results:

International Pairs.-England (B. S. Carter, J. B. Colls and G. S. P. Heywood, cox) bent Australia (K. B. Nelson, G. L. Enstante and A. G. Dalziel, cox).
International Fours.—Scotland (A. G. Dalziel, T. Swan, J. Moodle, J. McDoual and G. G. Stopani-Thompson, cox) beat England (B. S. Carter, F. Thompson, J. Potter, J. B. Colls and G. S. P. Heywood, Open Sculls,-G. L. Ensignte beat G. S. Club Fours.-1, Brewer's crew (N. J.

2. Scotland (J Dunnett, A. Mack, C. third.

the game, but though the opening minutes saw some ragged play, the players soon adapted themselves to the circumstances and the closing stages brought forth an excellent demonstration of the game.

Whites.-Crowle, McLaggan, Richardson,-Sullivan,-Ferrari,-Loats,

Howe, Dwyer, McLaren, Tredrea, Doyle, Hammond, Davidson, Atkin-

Three Star Coanac Brandy

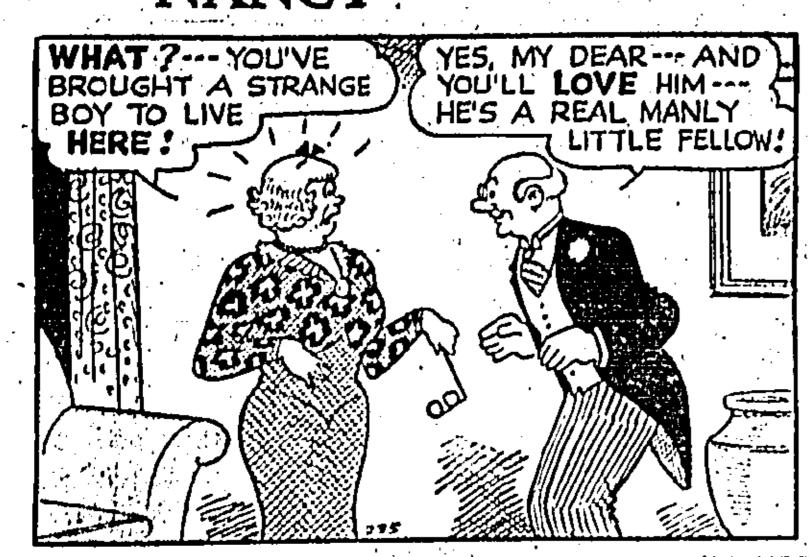


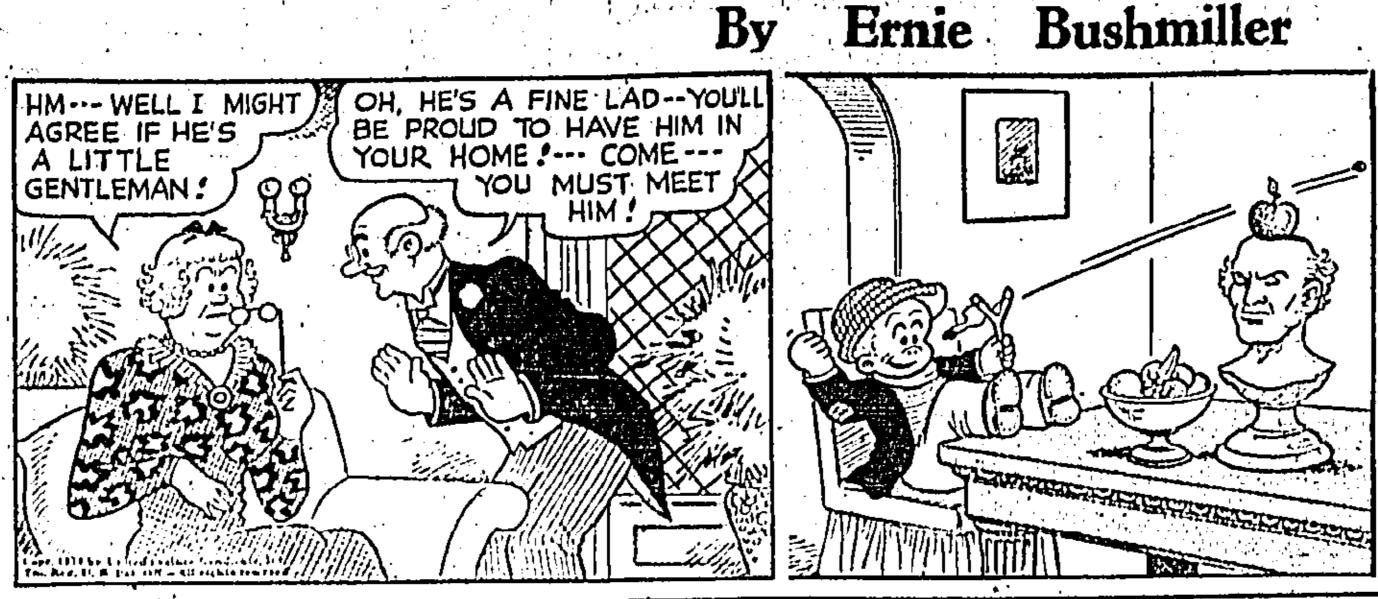
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WESTERN FRONT WAKES UP

Substantial German Attack Repulsed

PARIS May 5 (Reuter).— There has been considerable activity on the Western Front during the past two or three

Further details are now given of a German attack in the Blies 'sector early on Friday' morning. After the usual artillery preparations, some 300 Germans advanced on the Front about n/mile wide against a small number of French outposts ! which were hidden in a wood. They were caught in heavy artil-

Heavy Nazi Losses

lery cross fire and retired in disorder without making any contact with out-

French patrols were sent out later to examine the ground. They brought back a quantity of arms and equipment but found that the Germans had taken all their dead and wounded back with them.

The German losses are believed to have been heavy although the French losses are described as being insigni-

Another raid on Friday night in the Snar region was beaten off by artillery and machine gun fire.

Polish Troops Reviewed PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).—Somewhere behind the Maginot Line yes-terday, General Sikorski reviewed Only Feats Performed So the biggest parade yet held of Pollsh

For two hours he watched hundreds of Polish troops march past and later issued an order in which he said:

Outposts Attacked

attacked three of our outposts with ship on paper and not in fact?

porfed by heavy artillery.

resisted victoriously until our counter attack, led by light units, drove the enemy away.

Spain Insists On Neutrality

Memorandum Issued By Consul

ST. JEAN DE LUZ, May 5 (Reuter).—Spain's desire to maintain her neutrality in the present war is emphasised in a memorandum to the Spanish Consul here.

The memorandum, which comes from the Spanish Ministry of the Interior, refers to "the absurdity" of recent rumours that German war planes which had been flying over the south western district of France had set out from Spain.

"It is in the vital interests of our Government to frustrate the efforts to destroy the harmony of Franco-Spanish relations—all the more so since imperative reasons, due to our geographical position, oblige us to set aside everything that might en- country. danger the true and sincere sentiments of neutrality," continued the memorandum.

Hunter Men Interned

Nazis Hand Over Ratings To Swede Authorities

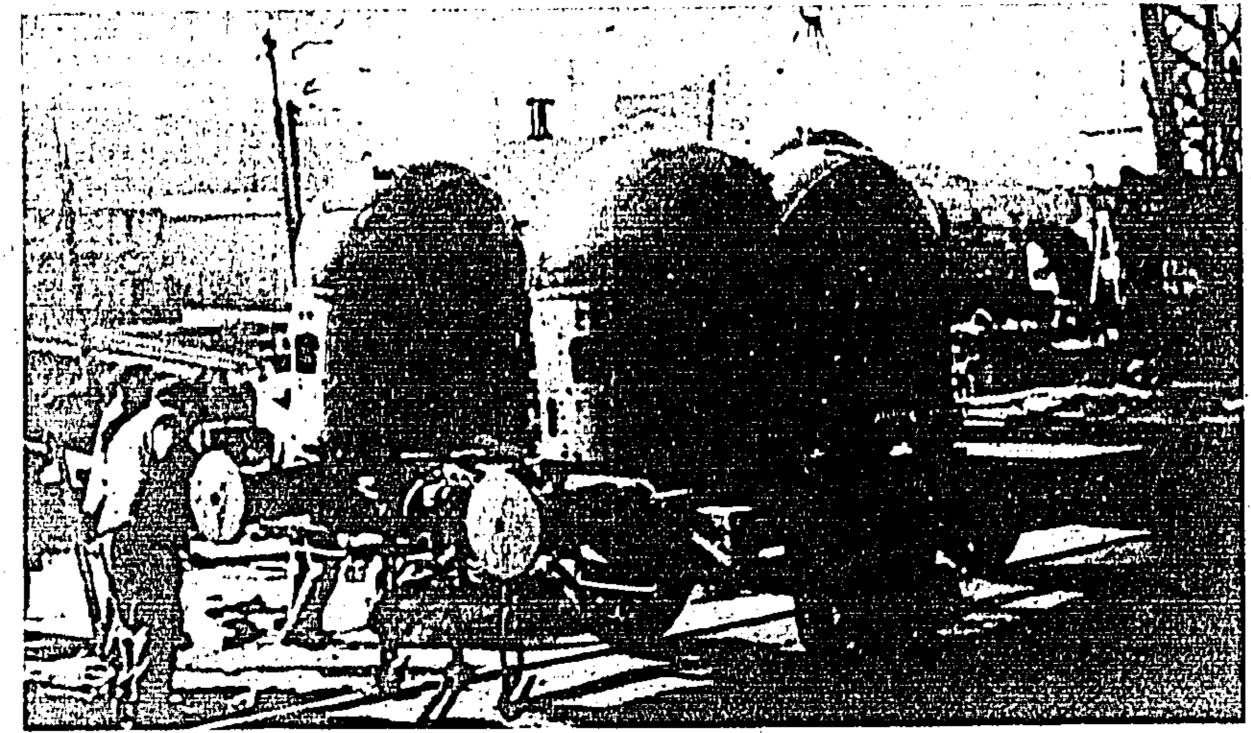
STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter).—Forty-three ratings of the

been interned. put them out of Norway owlng to have ordered the destruction of food shortage, it is likely that their large number of books by Czech British authorities will try to get sident, Dr. Eduard Benes, and books

them sent home to England. after by the villagers of Gummarn. their chief trouble being shortage of will have to be destroyed. clothes. All of them are reported to

be fit and well. at Narvik.

Monday,



FRENCH mines en toute from the factories for a position somewhere in the North Sea.-French Official Photograph.

Air Force?

Far On Paper

ing battlefield positions to fight the which goes on to discuss the enemy of Poland and of mankind." subject.

Why has it not been given the chance to perform some of the largest dividend of the Meet, PARIS. May 5 (Reuter).-An marvellous feats claimed on paper? official communique issued to-day Why does the German High Comstates that last night the enemy mand sink battleship after battle- the last event of the day. the So far, the "Spectator" says, the The results and eash sweeps were: The attack took place in the region | Germans have been content with the of the Snar. The enemy were sup- and-run raids, and suggests that this is because the Nazi pilot lacks con-Although surrounded, the outposts fidence in himself and his machine. Sobering Effect

> A serious offensive could be carried out by only a few picked squadrons. The fact that over 50 German planes have been brought down off the British coast at the cost of only one fighter must have a

> sobering effect. The Germans now know that it is wrong to assume that the bomber's best defence is speed. When faced by the eight machine-guns of a Spitfire or Hurricane, the crew of a Heinkel bomber must long for the armaments, of a Wellington.

"No" To Nazi **Tourists**

Yugo-Slavia Refuses To Take Any Chances

BELGRADE, May 5 (Reuter).—!
Yugo-Slavia is reported to have refused to allow 2,000 German "tour-Ists" to spend the summer within the

The Government is said to have told the German authtorities that only women and children under 15 would be allowed to enter.

Residents of Belgrade have been warned against keeping inflammable materials in their homes. It has been suggested that people who are not obliged to remain in the city should

Literature

PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).-German As the Germans are said to have authorities in the Czech Protectorate United 0; Middlesbrough 2. Newcastle 2. internment, will be lifted and the patriots, including the former Preon Pan-Slavism, according to a The men are being well-looked despatch from the Slovak frontier.

It is estimated that 3,000,000 books will have to be destroyed.

It is also reported that new iron rails are being removed and replaced Grimsby 1.

Midland.—Luton 3, Walsall 4,
Enst-midland.—Chesterfield 6, Rotherham 1; Sheffield Wednesday 1, Doncaster 3; Lincoln 3, Notts County 4; Mansfield 4, Grimsby 1. Two officers of the Hunter are be- by old ones on Czech railways owing lieved to be still held by the Germans to Germany's shortage of high quality stockport 2.

Where Is Nazi MERRY MAKER PAYS \$60.30 AT MACAO

ALTriOUGH the weather deterred a considerable number of people from travelling to Macao for the May LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).- Race Meeting yesterday, there was, nevertheless, a fair "Where is the German air crowd of punters present. Finishes were close, only in the "Units of the Polish Army are near- force?" asks the "Spectator," first and fourth events was there more than one length

> Merry Maker returned the when in the Consolation Stakes. pony paid \$60.30 for first.

RWAN CHAP STAKES.—One mile.

1 Fairy Ousel, 150, H. C. Pih.

2 Fairy Auk, 156, C. L. Gregory.

3 Meadow Eve, 150, H. S. Chang.
Won by four lengths; a length.

Parl-Mutuel.-Winner \$11,60; Places. WANCHAL STAICES .- One Mile. 1 Eagle, 132, H. S. Chang. 2 Iron Kulght, 162, H. C. Pih. 3 Hogmanay, 162, S. W. Dung. Won by three-quarters of a length;

Time. -2.20.2. Pari-mutuel.-Winner, \$31.60. Places, \$0.10, \$6.00, \$0.50. MA ROK HANDICAP, (First Section).-

1 Radium Star, 168, C. L. Gregory, 2 Dow-Jones, 147, H. S. Chang, 3 Sunshine Susie, 158, S. L. Yuen, Won by a neck, a length. Time.—1.01.4. Parl-mutuel.—Winner \$25.50.

1 Night View, 166, H. C. Pih.
2 Fel Ying, 145, H. S. Chang.
3 Dekko, 140, S. L. Yuen.
Won by two lengths; a length. Time,-1.35.4.

Parl-mutuel.-Winner, \$8.40, Places, \$9.90. MA KOK HANDICAP (Second Section). 1 King's Envoy, 158, S. L. Sung.
2 New Bedford, 162, F. A. Sequeira.
3 National Anthem, 160, W. E. Grieve.
Won by a short head; three-quarters of

Parl-mutuel.-Winner \$27.70. Places. S14.20, \$6.00, \$32.80,
CONSOLATION STAKES—Half-mile.

1 Metry Maker, 145, J. Nolasco.
2 Hogmanay, 147, W. N. Yeh.
Fairy Auk, 163, W. E. Grieve.
Won by half a length; half a length.
Time—1.05.2.
Port-mutual—Winner Fee 70 Pari-mutuel.-Winner \$60.30, Places,

GLASGOW RANGERS WIN SCOTTISH CUP FINAL

\$22.10, \$10.40.

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-the Scottish Cup Fnal yesterday. Results of other matches play-

ENGLISH LEAGUE CUP South A.-Leicester I. West Ham Norwich 1, Fulham 1; Notis Forest Southend 1: Arsensal 3. Crystal Palace 1. destroyer Hunter have reached Gummarn, near Lycksele in Books To Be Burnt

Books To Be Burnt

R. 6, Swansea 0; Bournemount 2, Reading 0.

Bromich 2; Birmingham 2, Reading 0.

North A.—Everion 6, Rochdale 1; Burneley 1, Blackpool 2; Blackburn 1, Manchester, United 2; Barrow 0, Stoke 2. North 11.-Huddersfield 1, Hull 1; Sun-derland 0, Leeds 0; Barnsley J. Sheffield REGIONAL MATCHES

South B.-Brighton 3, Queen's Park South C.-Brentford 2, Tottenham Miliwall 4, Charlton 2; Portsmouth South D .- Clapton Orient 4, Aldershot

Western .- Port Vale 3, Chester 1; Tranmere 1. Manchester City 6; Wrexham 4, North-Western-Presion 1. Rolton

between first and second ponies.

Cash Sweep Numbers

No. 140 ,, '257 Unplaced (\$50 each).-161. RACE Z

No. 105 .. .202 Unplaced (\$12.00 each).-138, 109 RACE 3 \$351.40 \$100.40 ;. 178 \$50,20 Unplaced (\$27.90 each).—139, 212.

RACE 4 \$229.30 No. 91 RACE 5 \$203.00

Unplaced (\$10.70 each).-499, 343, RACE 6 \$361.00 Unplaced (\$28.60 each).-164, 31

URBAN COUNCIL

At a meeting of the Urban Council Glasgow Rangers defeated Dun- to-morrow afternoon, a letter from dee United by one goal to nil in Government signifying approval of the Scottish Cun Final vesterday, the Legislative Council to the hmendment of the Dangerous and Offensive Trades by-laws in the Public Health (Sanitation) Ordinance of 1935, will be tabled.

Matters to be considered reorganization of the Health Branch, Department: tion for food shop licence for 14, Pottinger Street, ground floor; npplication for laundry licence for 172, Hennessy Road, ground floor,

Bury 7, Accrington 0.

South-western.—Newport 4, Bristol City
1; Swindon 1, Torquay 3. North-castern-York 3, Bradford 2. Friendlies,-Wellington 0, New Brighton

Chelmsford 5, Southampton 1; Oldham i, Liverpool 4. SCOTTISH REGIONALS Western-Albion R. Queen O'South Dumbarton O. Airdrie I; St. Mirren

Celtle 1. Eastern.-Arbroath 0, Raith 2; Dundee St. Johnstone 2: East Fife 1, Hearts Hamilton 3, Queen's Park 1.

RED HELP FOR NAZIS

Insufficient To Be Of **Great Benefit**

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .--The question on many lips to-day is how much economic help can Russia give Germany. An article in the "Economist" deals with this matter.

The paper points out that the whole of Russin exports less than 20 per cent, of Germany's normal needs, so that if Russia sent everything to Germany, this would still be less than one-fifth of Germany's requirements. It could only make up a small part of the trade Germany has lost through the Allied blockade. Needs Experts Herself

With regard to German help to Russia, the paper says that a great many German technical experts used to work in Russia, but to-day Germany needs experts for home production and cannot spare large German machinery too is needed at

home and the recent Leipzig Fair showed foreign buyers that little is being produced in Germany to-day except armaments. Germany cannot give badly-needed help to Russia's railways, for the

Labour Chiefs Confer

Reich has its own problems, especially

Seek Anglo-French Co-operation

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).— French and British Labour leaders conferred in London on Saturday and Sunday on the B8676-Castanet. problems involved in co-operation between their two countries.

The statement issued at the close of the conference denounced the countries shown in the crime against

Europe's Only Hope The statement continued: "Europe will regain security and peace only when it rids itself of the dictatorship of force. When peace is thus regained by victory of the Allied democracies, it can be guaranteed only by strong international institutions which will assure the independence and rights of all peoples, and thus make possible the disarmament of all States." The French delegates included M.

Leon Blum, the former Premier. The British delegates included Mr. C. R. Attlee, Mr. Arthur Greenwood Fand Mr. Herbert Morrison.

U.S.-Polish Friendship

Re-Emphasised By Roosevelt

PARIS, May 5 (Reuter) .-- Prc-

sident Roosevelt has sent a telegram to the Polish President on the occasion of the Polish national festival, says the Polish telegraph agency. The cable says: "Please accept my sincerest wishes for the continu-

ance of the traditional friendship existing between the people of the United States and Poland." President Racziewicz, replying,

said that he was deeply touched to receive President Roosevelt's wishes, adding that he "attached the greatest value to the long-standing friendship uniting the Polish people to the people of the United States."

BELGIUM NOT A BATTLEFIELD

BRUSSELS, May 5 (Reuter).—The Belgium determination to maintain its neutrality and independence was emphasised again by M. Pierlot in a speech to-day.

"Belgium is no longer a battlefield upon which the quarrels of other people can be settled," he said. "Her territory is a collection o fortified lines occupied by an army which is ready to do everything for the defence of their homes.'

Must Not Be Nazi Dupe LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—The Belgian "Peuple" says: "Above all we must not lose sight of the essential unity of the conflict and not be 2: a dupe to the German tactics to Hibernian B. Faikirk C; St. Bernard's 2. Include the adversaries and then attack one after the other."

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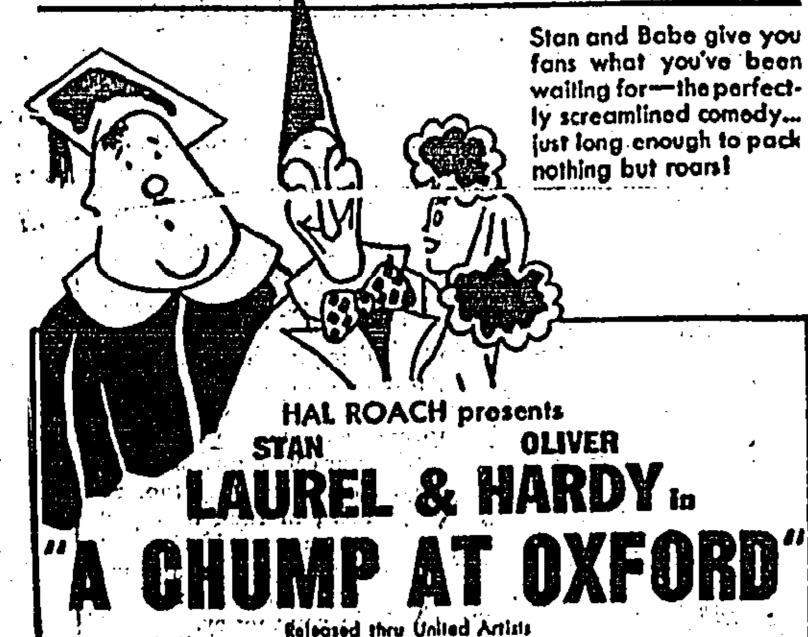
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CABINET NOT TO BLAME

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The hope was that it would have been found that all would have been well at Trondheim had Mr. Winston Churchil and the Navy not been restrained by the Prime Minister and

the majority of the Cabinet. On the information now available this idea appears to be without foundation.

Consequently the prospect of Mr. Churchill becoming the spearhend of 'n new war policy and even of a new Cabinet recodes. Neutral Opinion Resented The second consideration is the way.

freedom with which some neutral opinion is arguing that the Allies have let down Norway and will let down any other neutrals who rely upon them after trouble has begun.

Just as the House of Commons on

Tuesday is capable, if in the mood, que of forcing some modification of the it." Government personnel or policy despite the Cabinet having been unanimous on Norway, so even more quickly will it rally to support the Government because of those crlticisms if the Government makes a really good case.

Criticism from neutrals are strongly resented among the members of Parlinment whose only information leads them to believe that the sole reason that the Allied troops were not in Scandinavia before the Germans was the Allies respect for the Scandinavian neutrality policy during and after the Finnish campaign and with the lack of precautions ments. necessarily associated with that

Norway May Be Repeated

situation must be expected with regard to other areas which might become involved. tient of the Government personnel says it is not."

and war policy in its wider aspects and the details of the Norwegian operations. But when presented with more particulars of the Government's difficulties than it has been possible to reveal up to now, coupled with the widespread resentment at the criticisms by the neutrals, this section will in effect let the Government off with a warning that certain lines of dissatisfaction must be heeded and the present political situation will be allowed to remain unchanged for the present.

most probable result of two days debate.

reveal any new willingness of the Opposition parties to accept a long standing invitation to join the Government.

Washington Interest

WASHINGTON, May 5 (Reuter) --The political situation in Great Britain following the Allied withdrawal from southern Norway is being followed with closest attention

Political commentators declare that Washington.

Fears are expressed in some quar- ficance." ters that another Allied reverse might precipitate Japanese action in the Dutch Indies, which might involve the United States. This possibility is reported to be worrying officials here.

SECRET N. SEA

FROM PAGE ONE

CROSSING

partial" and said that acceptance of Germany's demands would have made Norway a vassal state of Germany. "After Austria, Czecho-Slovakia and Poland, we refused to believe in new promises. This moral defeat of Germany is the worst of all. Nobody will any longer trust German promises."

Never Will Be Slaves

agree to be a slave." Professor Koht emphasised that the German attack on Norway was thought out in advance and wellplanned, and he referred to the help of Britain and France. He said that the Polish Government was also sending 4,000 men and concluded by saying that the Western Powers had pledged themselves to liberate Norway from the German grlp and that they would carry it out.

Closest Collaboration

BPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, May 5 (UP).—Koht, the Norwegian Foreign Minister, told newsmen to-day that he had travelled to London to consult the British Government.

"My Government decided to send me here before the withdrawal from south Norway," he said. "The visit has no connection with

the withdrawal from south Norway. "The whole intention is that there should be the closest possible colinboration between the Norwegian and and British Governments, e. "I shall proceed from London to

Paris, where I hope to meet leading statesmen. After visiting Paris I will return to Norway.. We are keeping up the fight and my place is in my Fatherland.

King To Romain "Rumours that - His Mdjesty the King and the Norwegian Government are going abroad are absolutely

"We will stay where the fighting is to be done. "I think, at the moment, that the chances are in Norway's favour in the Oghting,

"But we must not under-estimate

clever enemy."

LONDON PRESS SPEAKS

Govt's. Duty To Public

Full Explanation Of Norway Needed

LONDON, May 6 (Reuter) .--The "Daily Telegraph" writes:

ment now owes a duty to the bewildered but tolerant public to give the fullest possible explanation to the circumstances which led to the present pass in Nor-

no desire or intention to condemn cut off. the Government unheard. It awaits the explanation with an open mind, but will naturally base its judgment on the answer received to the various questions which continue to perplex

Expedition Was Essential The "Daily Telegraph" observes, however, that the Government was bound to attempt an expedition even if it had good reason to doubt its success, for it had the effect of consolidating Norwegian resistance and gaining invaluable time in which to

secure a firm foothold in the north. The "Dally Herald" says that the main cause of complaint is the "deliberate policy pursued by the ablest LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—The of the Ministers as well as the German official news agency states stupidest, of lulling the people into that the Norwegian fortress of Hegre, speeches and optimistic pronounce- Alpine troops, surrendered to-day

"Even since the Norwegian withdrawnl, this policy has been continued. It is this attitude of mind on Many members are prepared to the part of the Government which learn on Tuesday that the same above all things Parliament must "There is nothing important to veexamine this week."

supreme question to-day is whether enemy air activity in this area." Therefore, a section of the House the war is being conducted efficiently of Commons may prove strongly cri- and vigorously. The 'Daily Mail'

Peace Now Is But Defeat

M.P.'s Appeal Against Pacifist Campaign

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-This, at present, appears to be the "Any peace made before the military, power of the Nazis is The situation, however, might be smashed would be defeat," said altered materially if the discussions Mr. J. Jagger, M.P., in a speech given to-day.

"We are fighting for our very way. existence," he said. "Either the military power of the Nazis must be able at present are those which come broken or we shall be broken by it. from Sweden.

· Liberty's Death Warrant: "Every vote given to a 'Stop the War' resolution is another signature on liberty's death warrant.

"In this hour when all we believe go out of doors after dark or to go in is in deadly peril, I appeal to all near places where soldiers are to vote against such resolutions with stationed. the latest developments are causing such a large majority that the real concern in high quarters in Fascists. Communists and pseudo-Pacifists will realise their insigni-

CRACKER UNDER TIN

Gives Rise To Report Of Bomb Explosing

Guests at a dinner party in a house in Po Hing Street, Happy Valley last night were given an alarm when a loud explosion occurred at

the door. The Central Police station received a telephonic message that a bomb had exploded there and the Emergency Unit was immediately desnatched to the scene. Wanchai Police station was also notified and a party of detectives were ordered to the house.

After investigations, it was revealed that no bomb was thrown at Professor Koht aded: "We say as the house, but some one had placin 1814, 'No Norwegian will ever ed a large cracker under a eigarette tin and lit the firework.

LATE NEWS

NORWEGIANS TRY TO SMASH WAY FROM PAGE ONE

single Norwegian gun or soldier, is Rocros, the authorities attempting to save the town from raids by evacuating all military units.
Wooden houses were shuttered, windows broken and telephone and electric power lines torn down by the

"It is clear that the Govern- explosions of the heavy bombs. No Air Raid Shelters There are no air raid shelters in Rocros and the population, which numbers about 2,000 are completely at the mercy of raiders.

When later the Nazi bomber made a second appearance, all telephone "The country has shown that it has communication with Stockholm was

> Rocros Fall Confirmed STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter).-

According to a communique issued by the Norwegian telegraph agency, German troops entered Roeron after the town was bombed from the nir for the first early to-day.

A German plane dropped seven high explosive bombs, hitting two houses, and then opened machinegun fire.

The population fled towards the suburbs. No lives were lost. Norwegian soldiers had been in Rocros for some days.

Garrison Surrenders

a sense of false security by boastful which was surrounded by German with 15 officers and 160 men.

Narvik Situation

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—A War Office communique states: port from Narvik, where operations The "Daily Mail" says: "The are continuing. There has been slight

> Heavy Fighting STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter) .---

Heavy fighting is reported to he proceeding to-day round Narvik. Allied forces are sald to be bombarding German positions both by land and sea amid a snowstorm.

The Norwegian telegraph ugency states that a big German bomber yesterday flew over Kirkenes and dropped bombs without doing much damage or causing any loss of life," It is suggested here that the muchine was primarily engaged in reconnoitring to discover whether any Allied forces from Namsos and Andalsnes are transferred to the Kirkenes region.

Official Silence LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—Allied and Norwegian official circles are

silent regarding operations in Nor-The only reports which are avail-

The Oslo correspondent of a Swedish paper says that all the Newegians in the district surrounding the city have been forbidden to

Nazi Overtures Rejected In Oslo itself the German efforts

almed at ingratiating the population by opening cinemas and theatres have falled. The Norwegians show no sign of

rejoicing because the invaders invite them to, and the best film in Oslo draws a "house" of only five people. In many cases the Norweglans all -leave-restaurants---as--soon--as---any German party enters.

The correspondent also reports that the hospitals in Oslo contain a large number of wounded. The trenchdigging machines are hard at work outside the city, digging graves.

Narvik Position Clearer PARIS, May 5 (Reuter),-Regrouping of British, French and Norweglan forces in Norway continues to evolve without incident, according to military circles here.

The situation at Narvik is gradual-ly being clarified as Allied troops progressively enter contact with German forces. Yesterday for the first time German aircraft intervened in the fight-

ing, bombing a village north of the The lutest information available here indicates that the Germans do not greatly exceed 3,000 men, of whom 1,000 are occupying tunnels and bridges on the railway to Sweden, while the other 2,000, in two separate groups, are holding out around the town with their backs to the sen. Their positions yesterday were bombarded by land artillery and

naval guns. Civilians Resist

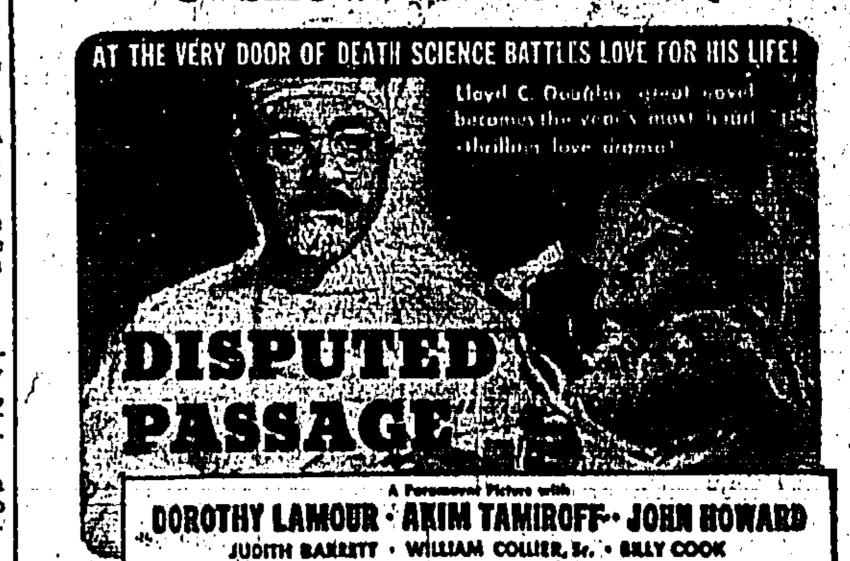
SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" STOCKHOLM, May 5 (UP).—The "Social Demokraten's" correspondent on the Norwegian frontier claims that one of the main reasons why the Germans have been unable to advance south of Rocros and at Os Is because of the resistance put up by Norwegian farmers and other civil-

Farmers are taking up rifles and pistols and are joining the Norwegian regulars in resisting the invaders. Small patrols of two or three ski guerillas are continually harassing The "Tidningen's" correspondent

confirms that motorised units have entered Namsos and Bangsund. The King and the Norwegian Cabinet are reported to be somewhere in Finmalk or Nordland. The latter is a lengthy district with its northern boundary about 18 miles north of

ROTARY CLUB

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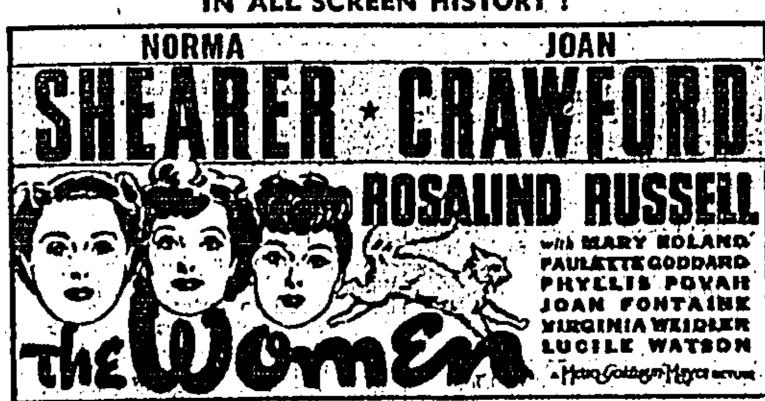
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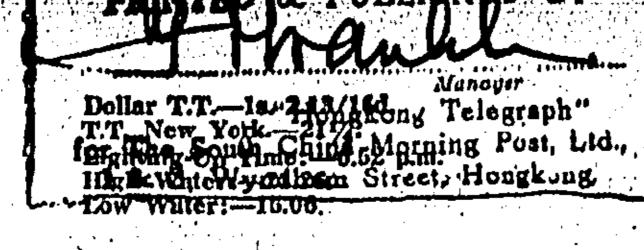
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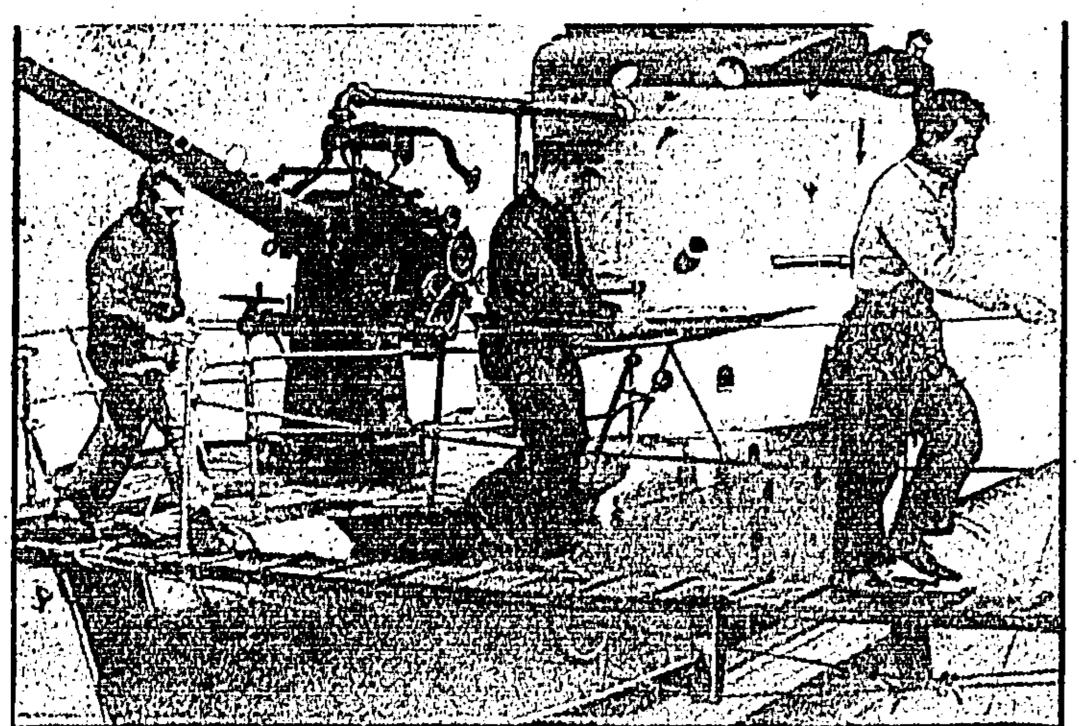
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"Eye-for-an-Eye" Proclamations Roeros



GERMAN PRISONERS captured in Norway being landed from a British submarine.—By Air Mail.

LONDON PRESS SPEAKS

Govt's. Duty To Public

Full Explanation Of Norway Needed

LONDON, May 6 (Reuter) .---The "Daily Telegraph" writes: "It is clear that the Government now owes a duty to the bewildered but tolerant public to give the fullest possible explanation to the circumstances which led to the present pass in Nor-

"The country has shown that it has no desire or intention to condemn the Government unheard. It awaits the explanation with an open mind, but will naturally base its judgment on the answer received to the various questions which continue to perplex

Expedition Was Essential

The "Daily Telegraph" observes, however, that the Government was bound to attempt an expedition even if it had good reason to doubt its success, for it had the effect of consolidating Norwegian resistance and gaining invaluable time in which to secure a firm foothold in the north.

The "Daily Herald" says that the main cause of complaint is the "doof the Ministers as well as the a sense of false security by boastful speeches and optimistic pronounce-

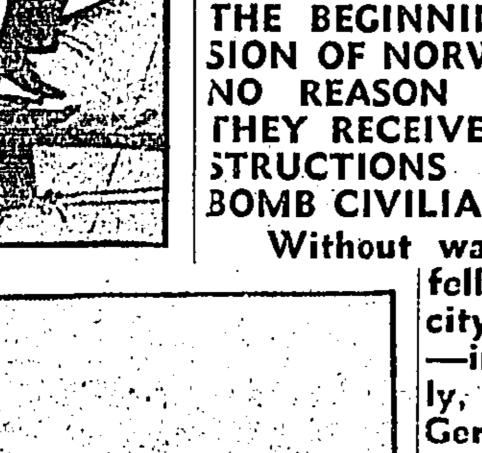
"Even since the Norwegian with- quote one paper. drawal, this policy has been continued. It is this attitude of mind on the part of the Government which above all things Parliament must examine this week."

The "Daily Mail" says: "The says it is not."

LATEST

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Purther Late News



A GERMAN TRANSPORT after being hit by a torpedo from a British destroyer at Narvik.-By Air Mail. Copyright.

DICTATORIAL POWERS URGED FOR CHURCHILL

By WEBB MILLER UNITED PRESS STAFF CORRESPONDENT

LONDON, May 6 (UP).-London newspapers are taken twenty prominent citizens of liberate policy pursued by the ablest urging that Mr. Winston Churchill should be given to kill them if there was any resiststupidest, of lulling the people into almost dictatorial powers in order to wipe out the "stigma" of the "abortive adventure in 'Norway," to

> These demands follow the secret arrival of the Norwegian Foreign Minister, M. Koht, and Defence Minister, M. Ljunberg.

This morning's papers warn that the Chamberlain Governsupreme question to-day is whether ment cannot "act like an ostrich" the war is being conducted efficiently or smooth the sting of the and vigorously. The 'Daily Mail' evacuation of southern Norway by centering attention on the attacks on Narvik.

LI. George Urges Reform

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, May 5 (Domei).-Mr. Lloyd George, British Premier of the first European War, urged the reform of the British Cabinet in yesterday's issue of the "Sunday Pictorial." He urged that the leadership should be strengthened in view of the reverses in Norway.

THEFT

On Saturday, Mr. G. H. Blok of Wyndham House, Wyndham Street, backyard.

The man, Li Wah, y's charged hands. before Mr. Edwards at he Central If not, the opinion here is that Magistracy with larceny this morn- British naval superiority will be ing and was ordered to be expelled greatly challenged and the British from Hongkong.

Sgt. Cullinan prosecuted...

NARVIK IS THE KEY

German Plans Fail If Town Is Lost

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" STOCKHOLM, May 6 (UP). storm it for three weeks. -It is believed here that complete plans for the defence of original garrison remain. northern Norway will be settled at the conferences now being held between British and Norwegian statesmen in London.

sources agree that the struggle for the purpose of attacking the for Narvik will be decided with. British and French transports.

in a fortnight. If by that time the Allies have caught a thief stealing a tap in his regained Narvik it is certain that materials into the Narvik area. northern Norway will remain in their

blockade of the trans-Atlantic route will be gravely affected.

ALCAZAR

By FRANCES MCEACHEN UNITED PRESS WAR CORRESPONDENT

ROEROS, MAY 6 (UP).-WHAT-EVER HITLER'S INSTRUCTIONS TO HIS AIRMEN MAY HAVE BEEN AT THE BEGINNING OF THE INVA-SION OF NORWAY, THERE SEEMS NO REASON TO DOUBT THAT THEY RECEIVED DELIBERATE IN-YESTERDAY BOMB CIVILIANS IN ROEROS.

Without warning, seven bombs fell in the heart of the city at 9 a.m. yesterday -in reprisal, apparently, for the killing of 50 Germans by Norwegian guerillas near Os.

The Germans have entered Roeros, and as I telephoning report to Sweden there are five German soldiers along side me. do not seem to know what it is all about.

House-To-House Search

I am going to try and reach the Swedish frontier as soon as possible. The slight wounds I sustained in this morning's bombing are not serious enough to prevent me from leaving the

As I telephone, the Germans are placing machine-guns on the street corners and intersections. Other German troops are

making a house-to-house search. The Norwegians refrained from any attempt to defend Rocros because they were told that the Germans had Os as hostages, and had threatened

The Nazi commanders have already pasted up "eye-for-an-eye" Proclamations—threatening to put a civilian in front of a firing squad for every German soldier killed by a guerilla.

Two hundred Germans were killed when they were trapped at Narvaas Pass, which is just south of Singsaas. road, which blew up as the Nazi motor transports were passing.

Helga Forts Fall SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BERLIN, May 6 (U.).—The Ger-

mans claim that Norway's "Alcazar," the Helen Fortress, had fallen. Norwegians besieged in the fortress resisted all German attempts to Only 15 Officers and 50 men of th

U-Boats Bound North

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" STOCKHOLM, May 6 (UP).-Large numbers of German U-Bonts in this war storm." are reported to be en route to north-Both German and Allied ern Norwegian waters, apparently The Allies are pouring an enorm-

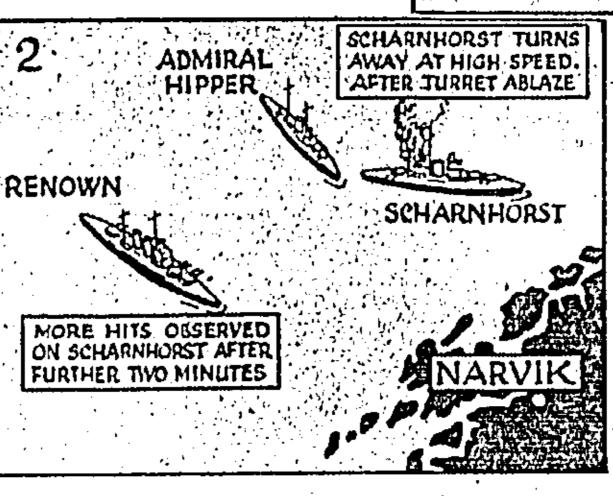
German forces are now pushing overland from Trondheim in an effort to contact the besieged forces

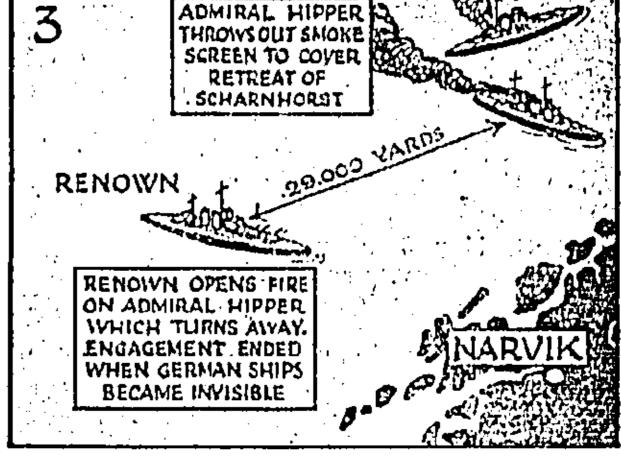
Trondhelm they must proceed by ski PLEASE Turn To Page 10.

In order to reach Narvik from

GERMANS REPLY AFTER THREE MINUTES OF START of Engagement HITS ON SCHARNHORST OBSERVED AFTER NINE

THESE three illustrate the Arctic battle in which H.M.S. Renown put to flight two German warshipsthe battle cruiser Scharnhorst and the 10,000 - ten cruiser Admiral Hipper. The Scharn horat's guns were silenced, and her retreat was covered by the Admirat Hipper, which threw out n smoke screen as it followed







THIS REMARKABLE photograph shows a German destroyer—one of seven victims of the second British naval sortic into Narvik-aground in Rombaks Fjord after being shelled by a British ship. ---Copyright. By Air Mail.

British Troops Keep Suez Canal Life-Line

ISMAILIA (Egypt), May 6.—British troops—most of whom are more familiar with the green Downs of Sussex and with the coal mines of North-East England than with the sands of the desert—now mount a ceaseless guard over the most valuable and potentially the most vulnerable rectangle of territory in the world.

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approaches to Port Said, right down

Ships Searched

targets that would be infinitely small

to necessarily high-flying aeroplanes,

bombs could hardly do any damage

to the canal that would for long im-

is a much greater potential danger.

pede the passage of ships. Sabotage

Even though every ship that now

enters the canal is searched, it would

still be possible for a ship so to be

constructed that it could sow mines

in the canal. It might even be possi-

PLEASE Turn To Page 10.

VATICAN PESSIMISM

Italian Entry Into War **Believed Near** SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

military commanders' direct orders. ROME, May 6 (UP).--Vati-The Norwegians had mined the can sources state that His the integrity of an area so vulnerable to-day. Holiness the Pope is most pessi- to acrial attack and even more so to mistic regarding Italy's future policy. which they operate and reduce to an

> He is stated to incline to the the canal is liable. belief that Italian participation in the European War is now vir- methods, which extend from a boom during the present time of war must tually certain.

almost in tears when he gave his sure that man could do little more. sermon yesterday in the Basilica Santa Maria.

He implored God to "defend Italy

Turkey Massing Troops SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

SOFIA, May 5 (Domel),—Turkish ous number of men and war troops are reported to be concentrated along the Graeco-Turkish border. Bulgarian officials believe that

the Turkish action is connected ble for one marauding acroplane to with Allied Fleet activities in the eastern Mediterranean and is in accordance with Allied request.

(Earlier Roports-Page 2)

I duits and the Sucz Canal. Because the security, perhaps the CHINESE permanence of Western civilisation depends upon the free, uninterrupted flow of traffic through that narrow CURRENCY stream cut across the Eastern desert, those British troops bear a responsi-

bility out of all proportion to their Statement Issued Secret Methods In Hongkong They are assisted to bear this tremendous responsibility by detach-

ments of the Navy and Air Force, The following statement was both of whom operate under British issued by authoritative Chinese quarters in Hongkong at 1 p.m. Those whose duty it is to maintain

"As is generally known, the Consabotage by passing ships naturally trol withdrew support in the Shang-

guard as close secrets the methods by hai exchange market last Thursday. "The fears which have been subabsolute minimum the risks to which requently expressed about the Chinese currency are unwarranted Having now seen for myself both and originate in the activities of the theory and practice of those speculators whose irresponsible action

that is nightly thrown across the sea receive universal condemnation. "The authorities have every inten-His Holiness is described as being to a similar obstacle at Suez. I can be tion of continuing support for the

currency. "Needless to say, the recent withdrawal of support was only tem-With the exception of three or four

"The existing resources at the disposal of the Stabilisation Fund have been increased in a measure which gives the authorities every confidence

in dealing with the situation." Motor Car Skids

Into Bicycle

Mr. E. F. Warburton of No. 2 Pao Ching Street, reports that while driving his motor car along Nathan It would be even easier for a ship Road yesterday, he applied his to sink herself in these narrow brakes and skidded into a stationary bleyele. Nobody was injured.

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Manchukuo Invaded

Frontier Violation By Soviets Reported

TOKYO, May 6 (Reuter).— A great sensation was created in 31st December, 1939. Hsinking following the revelation of a brush on the eastern border between Russia and Manchukuo.

It is alleged that Soviet soldiers invaded Manchukuo territory near Laowengling, in Mutanklang Province, at 7 a.m. on May 4 and fired on five Manchukuo guards, according to a Japanese report from the capital of Manchukuo.

Police Sergeant Shot A police sergeant, lishimati, it is alleged, was shot through the left

About six Soviet soldiers with military dogs penetrated into Manchukuo territory near Tungning in the same province at noon and withdrew after reconnoiting along the

border. The Manchukuo authorities, it is added, are paying attention to the recurrence of these illegal actions,

New Naval Staff Appointment

Admiral Henry Moore has been ap- allowed on the Wharves or other of this renewed warning, nations pointed a Lord Commissioner of the Admiralty and Assistant Chief of the parts of the premises; bearers of situated wherever Germany can dis-Naval Staff in succession to Rear Delivery Orders, Bills of Lading

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Canadians Display Their Smartness

Aldershot Inspection Alice, the Countess of Athlone.

They inspected 48 Canadian High- conference in Tokyo last year. landers and then watched the Royal Montreal Regiment carry out ma- "Nichi Nichi" continues, the British that they would carry it out. chine-gun training.

Later, they inspected three other Government and France, and to have regiments—the Canadlan Scaforth completed the necessary arrange-Norwegian Foreign Minister, told ments with them.

The Rt. Hon, Mr. Vincent Massey, the paper adds. Canadian High Commissioner in London, and the Rt. Hon. Mr. Norman Rogers, the Canadian Minister of National Defence, were also present.
The party was conducted by Major
The party was conducted by Major

will speak at to-morrow's meeting of the Hongkong Rotory Club on the subject—"A Trip by the Greyhound." General McNaughton, the Canadian His talk will be illustrated by colour-Commander-in-Chief.

ADVERTISEMENTS. FASCIST SPOKESMAN PREDICTS

REALISATION OF NAPOLEONIC DREAM

REMARKABLE HAPPENINGS WILL SHAKE THE PILLARS OF THE WORLD —— Boast

ROME, MAY 5 (REUTER).—DETAILS HAVE REACHED HERE OF AN ORGANISED ANTI-ALLIED DEMONSTRATION IN MILAN OVER THE WEEK-END BY ABOUT 100 STUDENTS WHO MARCHED THROUGH THE STREETS SHOUTING "LONG LIVE GERMANY" AND "DEATH TO **BRITAIN AND FRANCE."**

They chalked on the walls: "We want Hitler in London and Mussolini in Paris."

ENVOY TO RETURN

Significant Move By **British Government**

LONDON, May 5 (British British Isles. Wireless).—Sir Percy Loraine, The Fifty-Ninth Ordinary Meet- the British Ambassador in the Offices of the undersigned on time on leave, is returning to his

of Accounts for the year ended the castern Europe who had been spe-light December 1939 before."

fer Books will be closed from the the Italian Government, should it require it, a fuller and more intimate is to say, the invasion of Engaccount of the proceedings, the pur- land," he declared: port of which must be already known JARDINE, MATHESON & to them through Sir Noel Charles. Allies to be defeated in Norway. and the essence of which lies in the They withdrew from Namsos and settled policy of Britain defined, in Andalsnes in eight days, but that is the official statement issued after the time enough for all Allied soldiers consultations at the Foreign Office, as who survived, to have a memory the "preservation of peace and pro- impressed upon them which will last motion of security in Balkan and for the rest of their lives." Danubian countries."

> Of Equal Interest As Professor E. H. Carr points out in an article in the "Sunday Times," that it is Italian interest no less than

Since the return to south-east European capitals of the British diplomats who took part in the dispany's premises have been declar- cussions with Lord Halifax, events in ed a "Protected Area" by an other directions have increased rather than diminished the anxieties which beset these states. It has again been under the Defence Regulations, demonstrated that neither strict neu-1939, and no unauthorised person trality nor non-provocation verging on compliance, nor guarantees, nor

turb the peace are increasing their vigilance and their precautions.

British polley, which stands in opties at their expense, must be to them one of the few re-a; suring factors in an-anxious-situation.

No Tientsin Agreement

Japanese Newspaper Report Denied

Lorries must enter by the Navy There is no confirmation in London took place with the Norwegian Street Gate only and leave by the of the report in the "Nichi Nichi Minister in London. Salisbury Road Gate; no person the British Ambassador to Japan, other than the bearer of the and the Japanese Vice-Minister of relative decument and the driver Foreign Affairs have reached a basic British Minister to Norway, will see is permitted on the lorry, and agreement regarding the Tientsin Lord Halifax and possibly other entry will only be allowed on issue, especially "the problems of British Ministers on Monday, presentation of delivery death the maintenance of order and the Foreign Minister's Broad

> This Is The Report Which London Has Denied

TOKYO, May 6 (Reuter).-The British Ambassador, Sir Robert Craigie, called on Mr. Masayuki Secretary and Manager. Tani, the Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, on Saturday morning, The interview lasted about two

A basic agreement of views on the and order in the concessions and the mises." the conference, according to the

"Nichi Nichi."

paper declares, will be formally sign-agree to be a slave." ed by Japan, Britain and France.

Government seems to have conducted negotiations with the Chungking

pletely agreed to the British formula, Government.

Rotarian Max Gavin of Canton ed einema film.

INVASION PREDICTED

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

ROME, May, 5 (UP). — Signor Giovanni Ansaldo, who is generally regarded as being the mouthpiece of the Italian Foreign Office, told his soldier listeners in a nation-wide radio broadcast to-day that he believed Germany would invade the

He predicted that the coup dreamed of by Napoleon ing of Shareholders will be held at Rome, who has been for some would be finally realised through enormously improved technical means now at the disposal of Germany and at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement matic representatives in south-

> "We would all like to presume He will, therefore, be able to give that we will see just that—that

' He also said he expected the

Napoleon's Dream ROME, May 5 (Reuter).-"Napoleon's attempt to invade England will certainly and soon be attempted by Germans in this war," declared Signor Ansaldo, Editor of Count Ciano's newspaper "Il Telegrafo," in a weekly broadcast to Italian troops.

"We have already seen remarkable happenings. We shall see even more remarkable ones which will shake the pillars of the world," he concluded.

Bad Outlook For Japanese

Army Facing Serious Position In China

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" CHUNGKING, May 6 (UP) -According to military reports the situation in China has totally collapsed for the Japanese. The southern push of the invaders has died down in Shansi, and the Japanese have now retreated to their original bases. Elsewhere, the Chinese have taken

the offensive. There is bloody fighting in the Han River valley, and the Chinese have retaken several cities in southern Anhwei, where they are now attack-

H.K. MAN IN

CASUALTY LIST

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .---

The latest R.A.F. casualty list

issued by the Air Ministry in-

He is Sergeant J. L. Hawken.

who had already won the Dis-

tinguished Flying Medal for gal-

War's Biggest Casualty List

The new casualty list is the

biggest of the war to date, and

Killed in action, seven; pre-

viously reported missing, now

Doran, the first British air ace of

the war, who led the famous

Kiel raid the day after Britain

had declared war on Germany.

OF NAZI CLAIMS

"I shall proceed from London to

statesmen. After visiting Paris I will

King To Remain

"Rumours that His Majesty the

"We will stay where the fighting is

| clever enemy."

includes 119 names.

cludes a Hongkong-born man.

No persons other than those in promises, nor pledges will save any country from German attack if the tortuous developments of Nazi policy

ing Tsingyang.

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—Professor Koht, the position to any extension of hostili- Norwegian Foreign Minister, and M. Ljungberg, the Norwegian Defence Minister, who are in London to confer with the British Government, are believed to have travelled from Norway to a Scottish port in a British warship.

The journey was kept a close secret until several hours

lantry.

after their arrival in London. Professor Koht and M. Ljungberg went to the Norwegian Legation in London where con-LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).— ferences lasting several hours It is understood that the Norwegian

Minister and Sir Cecil Dormer, the Foreign Minister's Broadcast

Professor Koht, broadcasting this It is understood that there is no evening, said that he was in London for a few days "to discuss how we best can get help against the forces of violence.'

From London, he will go to Paris and then home again to fight. Professor Koht claimed that Norway's neutrality had been "truly impartial" and said that acceptance of Germany's demands would have made Norway a varsal state of Germany.

"After Austria, Czecho-Slovakia and Poland, we refused to believe in long-pending Tientsin issue, with new promises. This moral defeat of special reference to the problems re-garding the maintenance of peace will any longer trust German pro-*********

Never Will Be Slaves OFFICIAL DENIAL Professor Koht aded: "We say as A memorandum on the matter, the in 1814, No Norwegian will ever

Professor Koht emphasised that the · As for the problem regarding the German attack on Norway was LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—The maintenance of peace and order in thought out in advance and well-Canadian regiments at Aldershot the concessions in Tlentsin, a basic planned, and he referred to the help they have sunk one British battle- which was surrounded by German Forl of Athlone, the new Governor-Earl of Athlone, the new Governor- Hachiro Arita, then Foreign Minister the Polish Government was also General to Canada, and Princess in the Baron Hiranauma Cabinet, sending 4,000 men and concluded by in operations at Namsos. This denial with 15 officers and 160 men. and the British Ambassador at the saying that the Western Powers had has been issued by the Admiralty. pledged themselves to liberate Regarding the silver question, the Norway from the German grip and Paris, where I hope to meet leading

> Closest Collaboration SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" up the fight and my place is in my LONDON, May 5 (UP).—Koht, the Fatherland. The French Government has com- to London to consult the British King and the Norwegian Govern-

ment are going abroad are absolutely "My Government decided to send false. me here before the withdrawal from south Norway," he said. . to be done, "The visit has no connection with "I think, at the moment, that the

the withdrawal from south Norway, chances are in Norway's favour in The whole intention is that there the fighting. should be the closest possible colla- "But we must not under-estimate boration between the Norwegian and Germany. We'are up against a very and British Governments.

TO FREEDOM

STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter).—The Norwegian treops in the Roeros sector are reported to be planning to break through a fast closing German cordon to join the Allied troops in northern Norway.

NORWEGIAN officers who have arrived in England to con-

sult with Military Intelligence officers before returning to Norway, seen walking in a London street in battle dress.

An official statement that the fighting would continue in the north has partly dissipated the bitter disappointment felt at the orders given to retire in the Roeros sector, following the Allied evacuation in southern Norway.

quarters is now established in | connoiting to discover whether any the north and Norwegian mobili- dalsnes are transferred to the sation remains in force. The Norwegian positions south of

Rocros were intact when the "Cease fire" order was given. 300 German soldiers were driven way.

back by 120 Norwegians. Guerilla Warfare The Germans had 35 killed and from Sweden. wounded while the Norwegian casualties were only five. Henceforth only guerilla warfare Newegians in the district surroundcan be expected from the Norwegian ing the city have been forbidden to forces in southern Norway.

The Norwegian troops in the Gau near places where soldiers are Valley have decided to fight on and stationed. all the German efforts to take Norweglan positions there have failed. A German detachment south-east of Storen have been defeated. Over 100 Germans were killed.

Rocros Falls SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" ROEROS, May 5 (UP),-Roeros, Norway has fallen to the German them to, and the best film in Oslo

Evacuation of the city by the Allied forces was followed this morning by leave restaurants as soon as any the appearance and entry into the town of 25 German soldiers who rode

They occupied Rocros without firin single shot. Earlier this morning a German

bombing plane dropped six bombs in the middle of the town. Church-Goers Bombed Crowds of people were going to

church at the time of the raid, and it is not yet known whether any were killed or injured. The horror of the attack is intensified by the fact that there is not a single Norwegian gun or soldier in Rocros, the authorities attempting to man forces.

save the town from raids by evacuating all military units. Wooden houses were shattered, windows broken and telephone and electric power lines torn down by the explosions of the heavy bombs.

No Air Raid Shelters Rocros and the population, which and bridges on the railway to Sweden. at the mercy of raiders. When later the Nazi bomber made town with their backs to the sea. a second appearance, all telephone | Their positions yesterday were

presumed killed in action, seven; Rocros Fall Confirmed missing 52; killed on active ser-STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter). vice, 18; died on active service, According to a communique issued by the Norwegian telegraph agency, Among the list of missing is German troops entered Rocron after Squadron Leader Kenneth

the town was bombed from the air for the first early to-day. A German plane dropped seven high explosive bombs, hitting two houses, and then opened machinegun Arc. The population fled towards the lans. suburbs. No lives were lost.

Rocros for some days. **Garrison Surrenders** LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—The guerillas are continually barassing LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—There German official news agency states the Nazi lines. ship and cruiser of the York class Alpine troops, surrendered to-day

Norwegian soldiers had been in

Narvik Situation LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).--A Office communique states: "There is nothing important to rereturn to Norway. We are keeping port from Narvik, where operations Narvik. are continuing. There has been slight enemy air activity in this area."

Heavy Fighting STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter). Heavy fighting is reported to be proceeding to-day round Narvik. Allied forces are said to be bombarding German positions both by land and sea amid a snowstorm.

The Norwegian telegraph agency states that a blg German bomber George Lansbury, the venerable damage or causing any loss of life. It is suggested here that the ma- sinking rapidly.

The Norwegian General Head- chine was trimarily engaged in re-Kirkenes region. Official Silence

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—Allied and Norwegian official circles are During the latest operations, about silent regarding operations in Nor-

The only reports which are available at present are those which come The Oslo correspondent of a

Swedish paper says that all the go out of doors after dark or to go

Nazi Overtures Rejected

In Oslo itself the German efforts aimed at ingratiating the population by opening cinemas and theatres

have failed. The Norwegians show no sign of the last Allied stronghold in central rejoicing because the invoders invite draws a "house" of only five people. In many cases the Norwegians all

German party enteral The correspondent also reports that the hospitals in Oslo contain a large number of wounded. The trenchdigging machines are hard at work outside the city, digging graves.

Narvik Position Clearer

PARIS, May 5 (Reuter),—Regrouping of British. French and Norwegian forces in Norway continues to evolve without incident, according to military circles here.

ly being clarified as Allied troops progressively enter contact with Ger-Yesterday for the first time German aircraft intervened in the fight-

The situation at Narvik is gradual-

ling, bombing a village north of the The latest information available here indicates that the Germans do not greatly exceed 3,000 men, of There are no air raid shelters in whom 1,000 are occupying tunnels numbers about 2,000 are completely | while the other 2,000, in two separate groups, are holding out 'around the

communication with Stockholm was bombarded by land artillery and 'naval guns. Civilians Resist

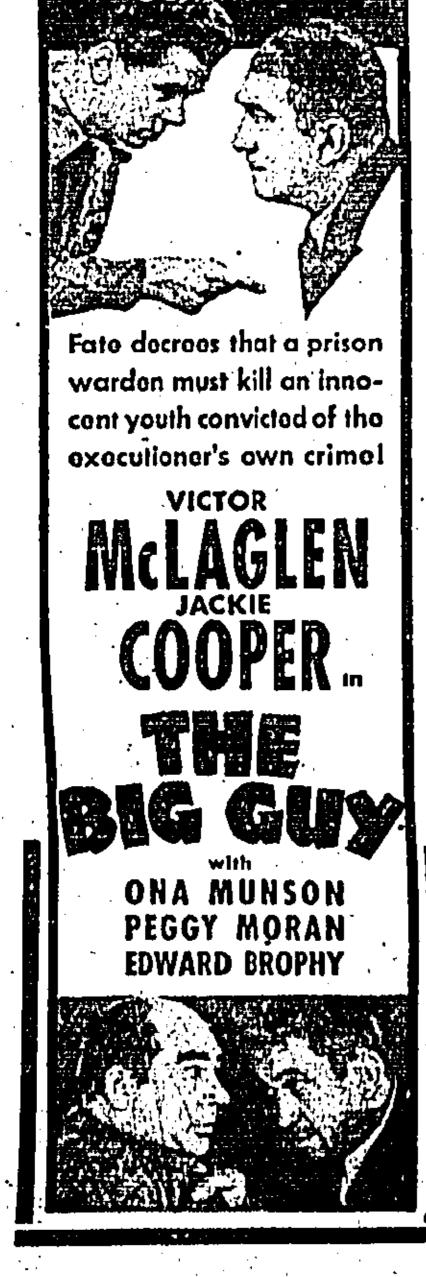
> SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" STOCKHOLM, May 5 (UP).-The "Social Demokraten's" correspondent on the Norwegian frontier claims that one of the main reasons why the Germans have been unable to advance south of Rocros and at Os is because of the resistance put up by Norwegian farmers and other civil-

Formers are taking up rifles and pistols and are joining the Norwegian. regulars in resisting the invaders. Small patrols of two or three ski

The "Tidningen's" correspondent confirms that motorised units have entered Namsos and Bangsund, The King and the Norwegian Cabinet are reported to be somewhere in Finmalic or Nordland. The latter is a lengthy district with its northern

boundary about 18 miles north of

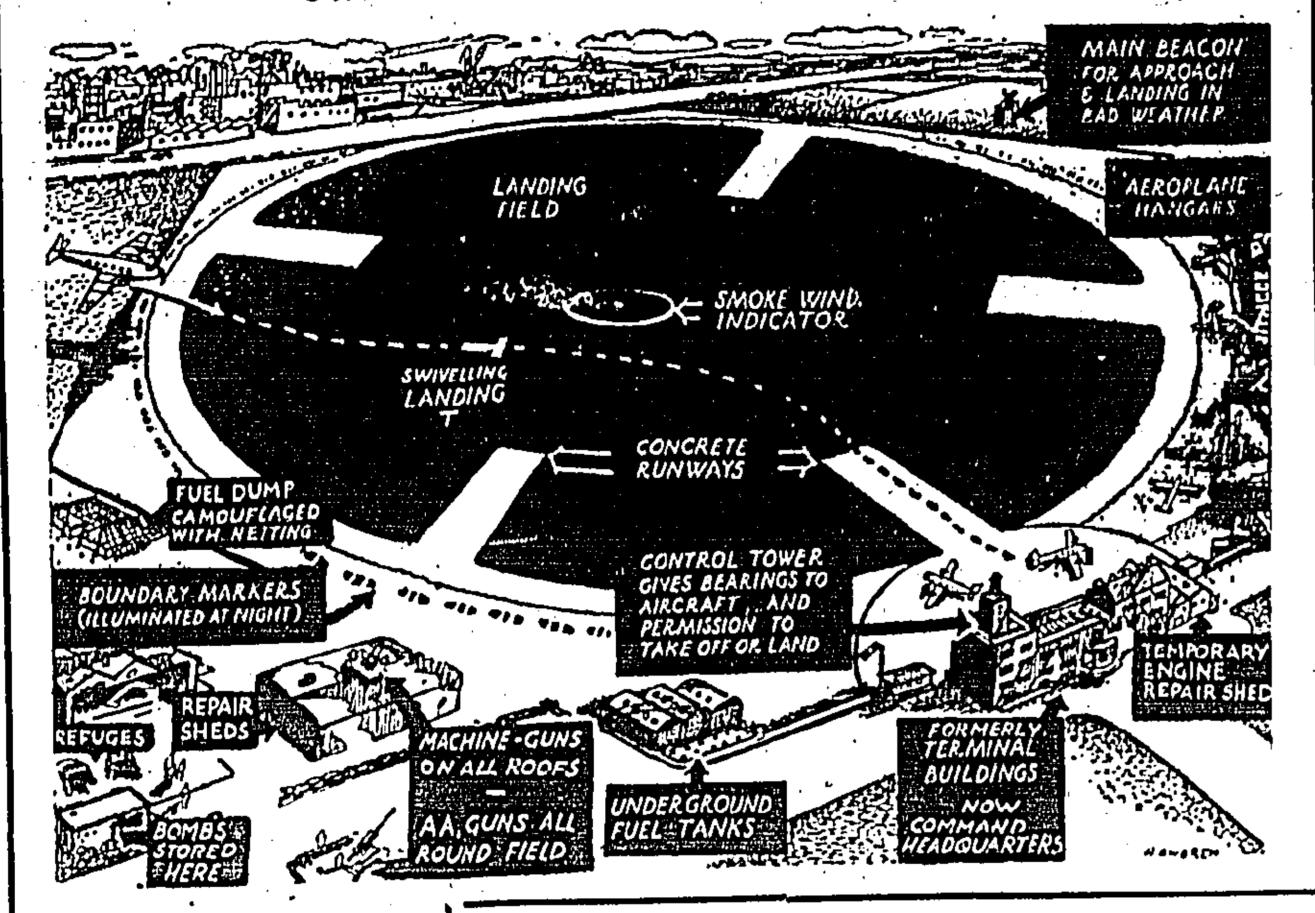
LONDON, May 5 (Reuter),yesterday flew over Kirkenes and pacifist, who is seriously ill in a dropped bombs without doing much London hospital, is reported to be



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Goebbels Isn't So Smart With His Propaganda

TOR years the Germans P have proclaimed the excellence of their propaganda technique. But now it seems that they are not as smart as they thought they were.

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You would have thought, for instance, that they would have preferred to gloss over the loss of the Graf Spee, and allow the world to forget how their "invincible" pocket battleship ("strong enough to destroy smaller ships, and fast enough to run away from bigger ones" was defeated by smaller and lightly armed British cruisers.

Yet they have made the amazing blunder of trying to focuss public attention on it again.

In propaganda sheets now being circulated in the Far East they attempt to refute the recent disclosure of the crew's refusal to put to sea and face British guns again. They quote a statement made by Captain Kay of the Graf Spee:

"We, officers and men of the 'Admiral Graf Spee', nail down the fact that the chief of the British navy does not shrink from fighting with lies soldlers of.

the German navy which he could not defeat in open battle. We have nothing but most profound disgust for these fighting methods of the Brifish Navy." whose ship is lying on the mud of the River Plate estuary, utterly destroyed!

THE Germans scuttled their ship because they knew that certain defeat awaited her, at the hands of the navy which (according to Captain Kay) could not defeat her in open battle.

Or are we expected to believe that the Germans chose to break off the battle in order to have the interesting experience of scuttling their own ship?

Really, Dr. Goebbeis, this is not in your best veln.

The same interesting document quotes other claims, that the Graf Spee did not run away (but apparently only because the "attacking vessels had far higher speed" -an odd admission), and that she "suffered no essential damage to hull, armament, or machinery, but one lucky shot rendered her fire control tower inoperative".

ALL right, let us concede that she did run away.

Let us just confine ourselves to pointing out that she was hounded into a neutral port as a bullock might be hounded into a shed by n couple of dogs-though the bullock could kill them both if only it had the courage to turn and

The "lucky" shot excuse is a pretty lame story: there must be something far wrong with German warships if they can be put out of action by a single six-inch shell -"lucky" or otherwise-which did no "essential damage"!

No, Goebbels, you'd better lay off the Graf Spee episode: it really did you no good at all, twist it as you will.



NAVAL MEDITERRANEAN

The hostile attitude of the Italian Press to the Allies gives point to a comparison of the combined British and French and the combined Italian and German strength in capital ships. The illustrations below of ships built exclude the tonnage officially reported to have been sunk. But the German ships, Scharnhorst and Von Scheer, which were officially reported to have been seriously damaged, are included in the Italian-German strength. Fourteen of the Allied ships (shown in black) have 15in, and five have 13in, guns. Four of the Italian and German ships have 12in, and three have 11in, guns.

In the comparison of ships nearing completion the Italians and Germans, having started building carlier, are given the advantage, but it is doubtful whether they should have it, since the Allies are able to build faster.

The Allies' superiority in categories other than capital ships is still more overwhelming. Hitler's strength was vitally weakened in the actions off Norway, and the British Fleet could release bigger forces for the Mediterranean than would have been possible a fortnight ago.

CAPITAL SHIPS BUILDING CAPITAL SHIPS BUILT drome; notice those concrete run- BRITAIN and FRANCE 10 BATTLESHIPS EXPECTED IN 5 BATTLE CRUISERS CONSTRUCTION 370,000 Tons 3 BATTLESHIPS 159,000 Tons 16 BATTLESHIPS 105,000 Tons 488,645 Tons 4 BATTLESHIPS 上 4 BATTLESHIPS **ITALY**andGERMANY UNDER 140,000 Tons 1 BATTLE CRUISER CONSTRUCTION 26000 Tons 6 BATTLESHIPS 140,000 Tons 114 000 Tons

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As a career.

Unsolved Mysteries of the Sea

MANY fine ships have already been lost in the eight months of Nazi piracy. A Captain acts as a Troop Many others will be lost before the piracy ends.

> Some are lost without trace, to become another mystery of the

The sea has many such mysteries. Take the story of the Flying Dutchman.

She was captained by a blas-pheming Dutchman, Vanderdecken. In the teeth of a head wind, "strong enough to blow the horns off n bull," his ship was battling round the Cape of Good Hope. His crew in panie begged him to

turn about. He swore at them and went on drinking. Then a vision appeared and, cursing the captain for a stubborn condemned him for ever to

sail the seas, unable to rest, unable to land, a phantom sent to haunt the waves, to torment and mislead succeeding generations of mariners.

THERE was the queer case of the Dutch emigrant ship Palatine which sailed for Philadelphia in 1752. She was beaten by gales off her true course. Discipline aboard collapsed. The crew held the emigrants to ransom, stole their savings and made off in the boats. The passengers, dying of disease and hunger, drifted helpless on to the beach of Block Island. The survivors were rescued, all except one woman who had gone mad and refused to leave.

The ship was set on fire, and the Palatine, blazing from end to end, drifted out to sea, with the screams of the maniae sounding above the roar of the flames.

And now, on the anniversary of the wreck, they say that a light like that of a blazing ship appears to the north of Block Island, and no one along the coast doubts that it is the Palatine Light.

MORE recent and more dramatic owing to the size of the boat was the fate of the 16,000-ton twin-

With a crew of 120 and 92 passengers she put out for Capetown from Durban on July 26, 1909. At six o'clock in the morning she was sighted by the Clan MacIntyre, a smaller and slower vessel bound. for East London. The two ships exchanged greetings and compared weather reports. The Waratah passed on and in a few hours was

heavy seas later in the day, and on the next day it blew a hurricane, but no distress signals were re-

No evidence was given at the court of inquiry that gave any light

man cargo. A fine, seaworthy modern liner had been swallowed up in a night without warning and without the usual pathetle relies left floating on the surface to mark the grave of a lost ship.

buoy, battered and barnaclecovered, was washed up on a New Zealand shore seven thousand miles away. Beneath the barnacles the letters "WARAT" could just be deciphered. And that closed the story of a disaster that shocked the world as few have done in the his-

and finest of the five-masted bar-

benhavn have saild from Buenos Ayres for Melbourne with a complement of sixty, including fortyfive young Danish cadets. Her course lay across the southern oceans, through the wildest seas known to sailors, through the "Roaring Fortles" where the giant rollers sweep round the Cape and through seas made dangerous by icefloes from the Antarctic.

For 120 days no word had been

with wireless she could only communicate with the world through other ships. Still there was hope. Her last voyage had taken as long. But time passed, her reinsurance quotation rose to 90 guineas per cent, and steamers set off their courses to search. The British ship Halesius, calling at the loneliest island in the world, Tristan da Cunha, in the Southern Atlantic, was the first to report news of a sailing vessel that answered the right description.

The islanders had seen a ship pass one January morning. She had five mosts and a white band painted round her stern. They watched her drift off shore for three hours. They saw no one move on board. Only a jib was set. A current caught the vessel and she turned off into the mist and was not seen again. No NONE of us can have yet quite wreckage was washed up and no further reports of the Kobenhavn were received. The fine barque with its youthful crew became another tragic, unexplained loss.

> Only seven skeletons, discovered beside the remains of a lifeboat half-buried among the desolate sanddunes of a West African coast, seemed to provide a clue to the riddle. Pieces of tattered blue cloth clinging to the bones showed that the men had been sallors. From the shape of their skulls they were Nordic. But it was only a guess. No one could ever know whether these seven had indeed survived the wreck of the Kobenhavn. The sea had given up its dead but still kept its secret.

Crossword Puzzle

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLS Maker of slothes 1-Makes happy 14-Bilinging insect 18-States positively 19-Plurals (abbr.) 21-Henjamin 23-Engineering degree 23-Adjust once more 74—Pleased 25—Itelating to morals ip-Avickedness ij-Animal lains

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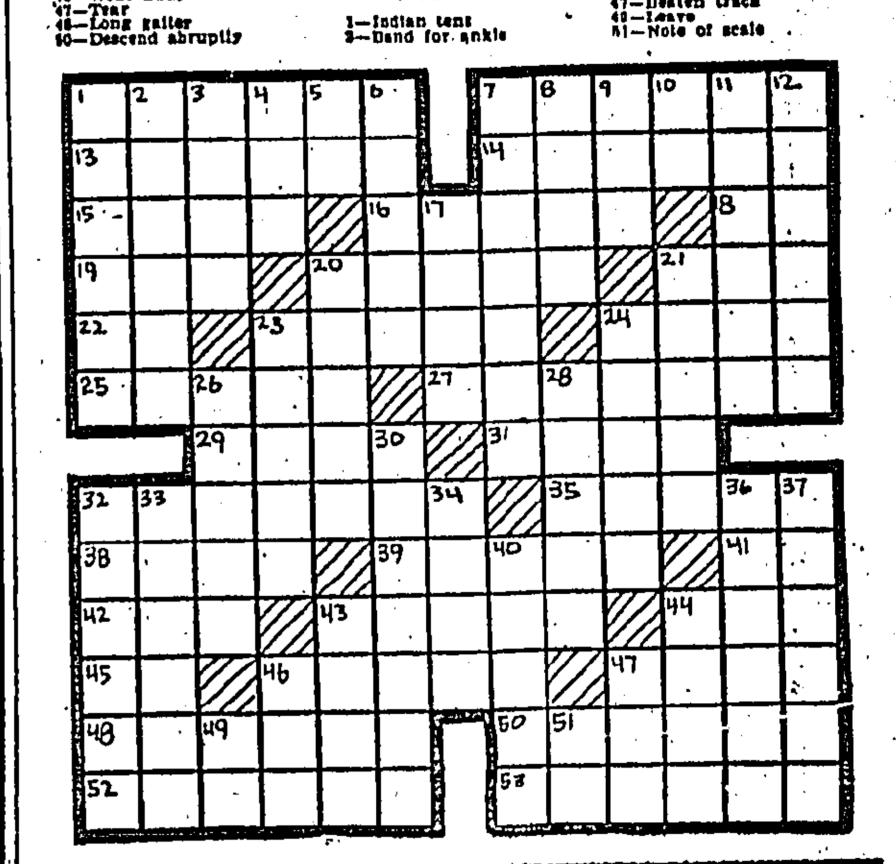
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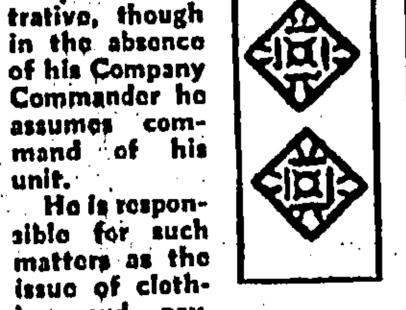
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TUMBER one objective of

British bombers in Scan-

dinavia are the aerodromes-

notably at Stavanger, Nor-

way, and Aalborg, Denmark

-which have been taken over

How big is an acrodrome? What

are the vital points a raiding bomb-

ing squadron must aim for to put

the aerodrome out of action? Why

is it necessary to make repeated

The whole air field may cover

several square miles of ground.

Stavanger is particularly large, hence the need for repeated raids

to cause sufficient damage to pre-

one section of the field.

able_to_take_off.

camouflage.

vent aeroplanes from using at least

In bombing an aerodrome, how-

ever there are several key-points

which, if once hit by bombs, render the whole field useless. Glance

now at Haworth's sketch, showing

the typical layout of a big nero-

ways; once they're pitted with

bomb craters it takes days to re-

pair them. In the interval it is

unlikely that any aircraft would be

What other key-points are there?

Hangars full of valuable bombers and fighters; the radio control

towers-nerve centre of the whole

aerodrome-which guide 'planes

back to the base; the main build-

ings housing the headquarters staff

The fuel storage tanks, of course,

are an obvious target, but these

are usually hidden below ground.

Bomb and ammunition stores are

protected by the latest arts of

Spotting the Rank

CAPTAIN

This rank is regarded as

the highest of a junior officer.

Commander in the cavalry

and a Company Commander

in the Infantry. In the Royal

Artillery he is generally

second in com-

mand of a bat-

the present-day

Army, however,

are almost en-

tirely adminis-

His duties in

and precious maps and plans.

by the Nazis.

ralds?

The word Captain comes from the Latin "Caput"-

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By Paul Reilly

screw Blue Anchor liner Waratah.

hull down on the horizon. She was never seen or heard of again.

The Clan MacIntyre reported celved and no wreckinge found.

on the fate of the ship and its hu-

Two years later a sea-worn life-

tory of ships. forgotten the tragic story of the training-ship Kobenhavn, the last

On December 14, 1928, the Ko-

heard from her. Though equipped

Sir Novile Henderson described in Saturday's instalment how he was withdrawn from his post as British Ambassador in Berlin after Hitler's invasion of Czecho-Slova-

He was in London when the quarrel between Germany and Poland over Danzig began to assume grave proportions.

Then Britain, by announcing her pact of mutual assistance with Poland, plainly told the Nazis that further aggression in Europe would be met by force. Negotiations were begun for a pact with Russia-and Hitler began to about "encircleshout ment."

Sir Nevile returned to Berlin on April 25, 1939, to notify the German Government that conscription was being introduced in Britain.

A S in 1938, so once again H in 1939, the summer months were spent in fruitless negotiation.

Moscow had now become the centre of the stage, and His Majesty's Government and the French Government sought sincerely but in vain to persuade the Russian Government definitely to assume the same obligations towards Poland as we ourselves had undertaken.

As soon as one alleged obstacle to Russian co-operation was overcome, Stalin produced another with unfailing regularity.

Nor did we cense during the same period constantly using our good offices at Warsaw, with a view to the avoidance of the kind of incident which Hitler was so skilful in turning to his own pur-D0503.

warnings to the Nazis

For my part in Berlin I was preaching patience and giving solemn warnings to all and sun-

My main and, indeed, almost sole object was to convince the Germans that any further act of aggression by them would mean war with Britain.

It was at the end of May, for Instance, that I had my conversation with Goerlng, which I reported at the time and which constituted one of the documents included in the Blue Book Issued by His Majesty's Government on the outbreak of war.

I made it quite clear to the Field Marshal that, while nobody desired more than we did an amicable arrangement between Germany and Poland in respect of Danzig and the Corridor, we were determined to oppose in future force

by force. Though Ribbentrop was at that time making great play with his own special brand of propaganda, to the effect that Britain would never fight over Danzig, the Field Marshal himself did not, on that occasion, appear to doubt that such was our fixed resolve.

It was, throughout the summer, quito uscless to argue about the equal rights of the Poles to Lebensraum and economic existence, and in the end I gave up trying to do so and concentrated on the inevilable consequences of aggressive action.

Hitler knows how to wait

The invariable retort of every German was that Britain had given a blank cheque to the Poles or had placed her sword in their hunds.

My conversation with Goerlag led consequently nowhere in par- for Poland ticular—as was, I fear, the fate of all my conversations, however stimulating, with him:

But, whatever may have been in Hitler's mind, war did not appear at that time to be either the desire or an immedalte preoccupation of Goering.

It was on that occasion he showed me with pride the coloured sketches of the tapestries which he proposed to hang it in his inew dining-room at Karinhall.

 I described them in my official despatch as drawings, of "naked ladies," but I am glad to have tills opportunity of saying that I did so in no disrespectful or suggestive spirit.

Had I anticipated that my despatch would ever be published, I should certainly have written nothing till the German Govern-"nude figures" in place of the cruder expression which I actually

very artistic, and I should not have ', to visit some old friends of mine. referred to them intual if it had A. At it happened, a Polish horse not been to point the argument of was expected by many to be going patience, which had been the gist—to win the race, but he finished of allamy talk, with Goering that a down; the course, to the keen satis-

Ribbert Crop

Sir Nevile Henderson



Frau von Ribbentrop, shown above wearing her best jewels, is heiress to a champagne fortune. Hitler escorted her in the grand march at an"Axis" party slie tendered Italy's Count Ciano at her 30-room Dahlem home.

That was why, when he readout the names of Mercy and Purity, etc., I took the opportunity to observe that I failed to see Patlence among them.

Goering, who never missed a courteous and appeared honestly point, roared with laughter at the glad to see one.

During the next four months the chief impression which I had of Hitler was that of a master chess player studying the board and waiting for his opponents to make some false move which could be turned to his own immediate advantage.

So long as Russia's final attitude remained unpredictable, he himself would not move.

In any case, his army would not be finally ready for all eventualities until the end of August. That, in spite of all the secrecy of its preparations, was fairly evident.

When it was announced that the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Tannenberg victory was to be held there on August 27, and that it would coincide with the visit of a German warship to Danzig, it did not need much prescience for me to abandon my rooted aversion to the popular habit of fixing dates

I wrote to Lord Halifax early in July, and foretold that the last week of August was likely to be zero hour.

We had reached the last act of the drama, and the curtain for it had gone up on that momentous March 31 when Mr. Chamberlain announced in the House of Commons our agreement with Poland. Both parties were now sparring for position.

Red light

We sought at Moscow and Ankara to build up a pecae front against aggression, while the Germans were working at Moscow, in the Baltic States and in the Balkans to make gaps in that front. Both were to win successes and

But in the meantime there was a lull; which was likely to last for several months, and I reported to that effect at the beginning of

In the last days of that month urgently represented to the Polish Ambassador the desirability of resuming conversations at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, but his answer, was that he could do ment had given some evidence of its goodwill and readiness to talk. On June 25 I motored to Ham-These drawings were in fact burg to attend the local Derby and

faction of all loyal Germans.

The almosphere was already strained, and I remember feeling rather sorry for my Polish collengue, who was also present. Yet everybody was friendly and glad to see one.

Germans didn't hate Britain

__Looking-back-on-it-all,-one-can-66-Waronly be impressed by the tragedy and futility of the present war. There was no hostility to England among the mass of the people in Germany.

Goebbels' frenzied propaganda may, since the beginning of the war, have been successful in working Germans up to hate. German youth is being, and has for some years past, been educated up to hate us.

Nazi extremists, full of the mystical faith which seeks to inpose German leadership on a world of German vassals, will always hate the chief barrier to the fulfilment of their overweening ambitions.

Resentment against the English, who nicknamed him Brickanddrop, may inspire Ribbentrop's hatred, and the "fury of the woman scorned" may fan the passions of Hitler himself.

But the German people had no natural hatred of the British, and it is the saddest thing in the world that the two should fight. Personally, up to the last, never felt anywhere that I was

other than welcome. I attended two large parties at the end of that month; one was given by Funk, who, after having succeeded Schneht as Minister for Economics, had later replaced him as President of the Reichsbank, and the other by Lutze, who was the chief of the S.A. or brownshirts.

Everyone who was anyone in Nazi circles, with the notable exception; of the Ribbentrops and Himmlers, were present at these

.For me, they were not so much social::entertainments as opportuwho were ready to listen and to

I did my utmost in these numerous-conversations to enlist the support of those most closely in touch with Hitler, with a view to inducing him to make some gesture which would open the door, If it were only an inch or so, to a response on Mr. Chamberlain's

But our negotiation with Russia, as long as they continued. were represented to me as an insuperable obstacle to any conciliatory initiative on Hitler's part.

"Alas, it was all talk; for it was not the Lutzes and the Funks, for even the Brauschitzes and Lammers, who decided policy.
The last thing which Hitler himself wanted was to start serious discussions with England.

I went to London for a few days in connection with private business at the beginning of July, and warned His Majesty's Government

that the clouds were gathering. By this time, the Russian negotlations had ceased to have for me, even the superficial appearance of any reality, and I still believe that from the outset Moscow never meant them to terminate in agreement with us.

Riddle of Russian pact

The moment at which Hitler began his own negotiations with Stalin must remain for the time being a matter for conjecture, but it can scarcely have been coincidence that in Hitler's speech of April 28 his usual hostile references to the U.S.S.R. were conspicuous by their absence.

On May 3, Litvinov, the Russian protagonist of the League of Nations, was relieved of his post as-Commissar for Foreign Affairs. A few weeks later a new Soviet Ambassador to Germany was received with marks of quite unusual courtesy. . . .

I decided, at the end of July, to seek for myself the opportunity of a personal meeting with Hitler. He was at Bayreuth at the time, attending the Wagner festival.

Though absolutely unmusical, I like Wagner. I had twice attended the whole of the Ring in Berlin, and I used this as an excuse to pay a visit to Bayreuth on July 29. So far as my real objective was

concerned it was a complete failure. I had car trouble on the way down, and when I got there I found that Hitler was away inspecting the Siegfried Line, accompanied by Ribbentrop; an ominous combination.

He got back on the last afternoon of my visit, but I only snw him at a distance in the Opera

Even so, if he had wanted to speak to me, Hitler could have Halphong done so, for he must have been informed that I was there. But contact with the British Ambassador was not part of the game for him,

There were three parties in Germany at this time. One, for removed from Hitler's entourage and representing the mass of the people, was all for peace and still hopeful that Hitler's wizardry would enable him to achieve his Vol. X No. 1 alms without war.

A second was equally all for war at any price. It was confident in the might of Germany's Army and Air Force and in her invulnerability to attack from

the west It was the party in closest touch with Hitler, and was constantly pressing him to go ahead regardless of the consequences, and arguing that in any case Britain either

would not or could not fight. There was a third party, which appeared really to believe that Britain's military preparations were being deliberately undertaken with a view to a preventive war, and which consequently argued that war in 1939 was bet-

or later. I was repeatedly told by those in closest touch with him that Hitler himself professed to share this

ter for Germany than war in 1940

The war atmosphere was spreading apace. France was now mobilising, and the country was united behind M. Daladier.

Britain was also girding up her loins, and in the middle of July extra flect exercises had been announced, extra ships were placed in commission and some naval reservists were called up.

The underlying idea was to convince Hitler of our readiness for It apparently falled to convince

Ribbentrop, who to the last continued to assert that England would never fight. I say "apparently" with intention, since I am still unable to credit even Ribbentrop with

being so obstinately foolish as

seriously to believe that England

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would fall to honour her obliga-

There is no shadow of doubt that he was all the time saying so, to Hitler and to everyone. But that he believed himself what he said seems to me incredible.

Egging on the Fuehrer

By 1939 Hitler and become so great in his own esteem that he could afford to discribe his Foreign Minister as the second Bismarck. He often said so to others, and no one was surer that it was so than Ribbentrop him-

But the world had yet to be per-sunded that it was so, and for this a war was necessary.

To ensure war any means were legitimate. If he could persuade Hitler, who possibly needed little persuading, to go to extremes by representing England as, afraid of war, all the better.

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NAZIS' RULE

(Continued from Page 6.)

(the noblest part of his equipment). He has not read the Vedas. the Mahabharata, or the Confucian Analects. He would scorn to do so if he could. To him they are the scribblings of non-Aryan sub-

men, beneath contempt. Since the Nazis propounded their revolting doctrine of world domination the little spots on the German moral leopard have grown to the size of dinner plates. Woe betide Molaya if ever it were in the position of Poland and Czecho-Slovnkin-under the Nazi heel.

To most of us this is almost too obvious for mention but if you were to get hold of one of those little leasiets, cyclostyled on wrapping paper in pale ink that has blotted and run, in the handwriting of boys who have failed to pass their junior middle school, you would receive the impression that British imperialism is a dreadful thing than which nothing could be worse. I am not concerned to defend British imperialism or to prove that it is the most enlightened system of government that the human mind could conceive. You live under it and can judge for yourselves. But one thing I can say. If anyone would willingly substitute for it the imperialism of Nazi Germany the only proper

place for him is the padded cell. Well I have finished with my nightmare. The Swastika is 8,000 long miles away over seas guarded by the British Navy or over land defended by the Allied forces and by the good sense and decency of the Asiatic peoples.

STOCK MARKET

l Hongkong Stock Exchange Official A quiet morning, though there was happy observance of the Empire Summary issued on Saturday says: some "chicken feed" produced in the form of investment business.

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50 YEARS AGO

May 0, 1000. Queen Victoria owns a block of houses

n New York. A black snake four feet long was killed in the gutter outside the Masonic Club, about dusk last evening.

For the first time in the history of steam shipping in China the Austrian flag is represented on the Yangtaze. The British steamer Anchin Maru, which for the past three months has been running on the Yangtaze, changed her flag last week and hoisted the Austrian flag. Sho will after undergoing an overhauling, and

25 YEARS AGO

Field Marshal Bir John French has issued a report on the Germans using poisonous gases in which he says: They have been ejected from pipes laid in the trenches and also by shells specially manufactured. German attacking troops had specially designed respirators, and this all points to a long methodical proparation on a large scale. The report emphasises that a week before Germany used the method, a Berlin communique announced that the British were using asphyxiating gases—then there appeared no reason for this astounding falsehood, but now it is obvious that that was part of a scheme, and shows the Germans recognised the illegality of the method and were anxious to forestall neutral and possible domestic criticism. Moreover, since the method was first used, the enemy adopted it both for offence and defence whenever the wind was favourable. The effect was not merely that, of disabling, or even painlessly fatal as suggested by the German press, but the victims suffer acutely and a large proportion die a painful, lingering death. It appears that those surviving are permanently injured in the lungs and will possibly be invalids for life. These effects must be well known to the German scientists who devised the method, and also to the military who sanctioned its use. "I am of opinion the enemy has definitely decided to use these gases as a normal procedure and that protests will

The Italian Ambassador had a prolonged conference with Sir Edward Grey.

be useless."

Speaking in the House of Commons, Mr. Asquith said that Germany's use of polsonous gases was a breach of the Isrue Convention and had been clearly committed with deliberate purpose after enreful preparation. He emphasised that time would be better spent in counteracting such actions than by making reprezentations.

Reuter's ... correspondent ... at ... Copenhagen reports that the King of Sweden, at Gothenburg, made a speech in which he said the danger of Sweden being involved in the war was as great as before. He emphasised that it was Sweden's indispensable duly to observe strict neutrality, and he exhorted all to do nothing to ggravate the country's position and said e was confident in case of necessity the whole nation would be united in defending the country and liberty.

It is five years ago to-day since King George succeeded to the throne. When King Edward died, the nation felt that t had to take his son more or less on rust. King Edward was known; was the most popular prince, and one of the most popular men, in the world; but of King George all that his subjects knew was that he was a naval officer, and a man of somewhat retiring disposition-who might or might not worthly wear the crown that he had inherited from the Taxon kings by his father's side and from Canute by his mother's. Everything was speculation. The country's relations with foreign Powers were apparently good, but the Empire itself was not by any means at its most peaceable. There was dissiffection in some parts, minor political unrest in others, while at Home every ther man was at his pelchhour's throat over Mr. Lloyd George's natorious Budget the worries connected with which had helped to shorten the days of King Edward. It was little wonder, then that the world watched with lively curiosity the

actions of the new King Emperor. 10 YEARS AGO

Mahatma Gandhi, leader for the civil isobedience movement in India has been arrested at Jalalpur under Regulation Twenty Five of 1927 and will-be imprisoned during the pleasure, of the Sovernment of India:

At the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel, celebrations took blace on Wednesday, the 30th of April last, in honour of H.R.H. the Princess Julians, only child of Her Majesty the Queen of the Nether-lands and the Prince Consort, who came

of age on that date. 5 YEARS AGO

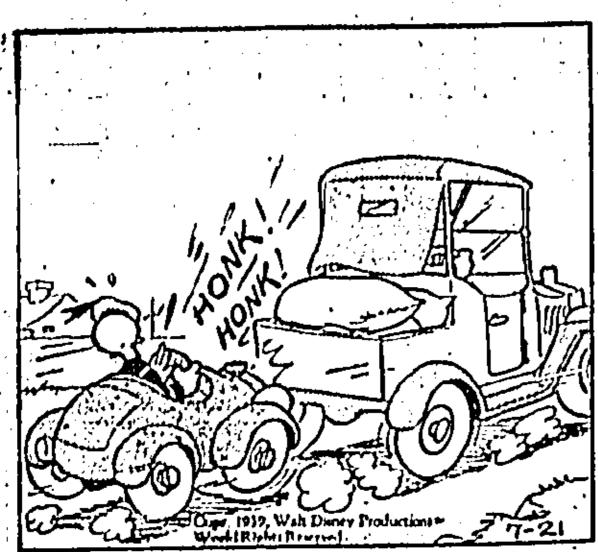
With fitting coremonial and pageantry, the Colony of Hongkong to-day loyally cumusiastically began its colebration So great is the interest centred in the celebrations (that there "has been a tremendous influx of visitors from South China, estimates of the number who have come here to see the sights varying between 100,000 and 200,000.

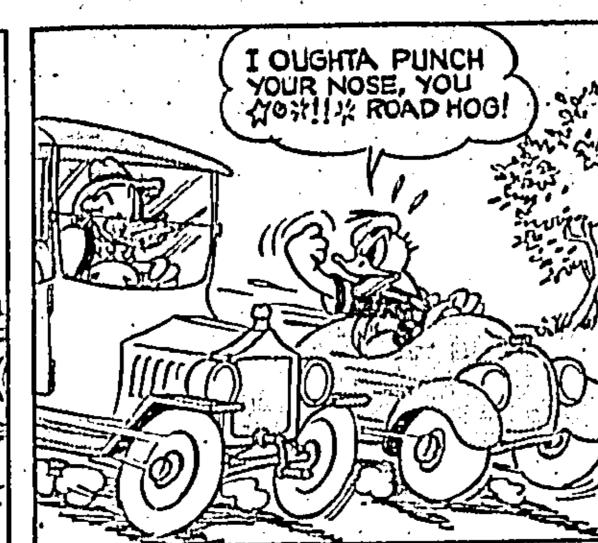
The gigantic French liner, Normandie, sailed trom St. Nazalra to-day on her

ACCOUNTANTS' DINNER

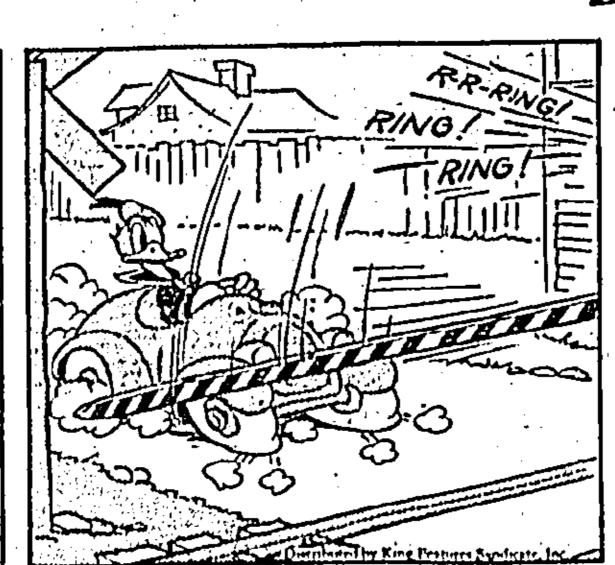
The Society of Chartered Accountants in China held their annual dinner, at the Shanghal Club with Mr. A. H. George, H. M. Consul-General In Shanghal, as the guest of hondur. In the course of his speech, the Chairman, Mr. H. R. Cleland, gave a brief review of the history of the necountaries and welcomed wuests.

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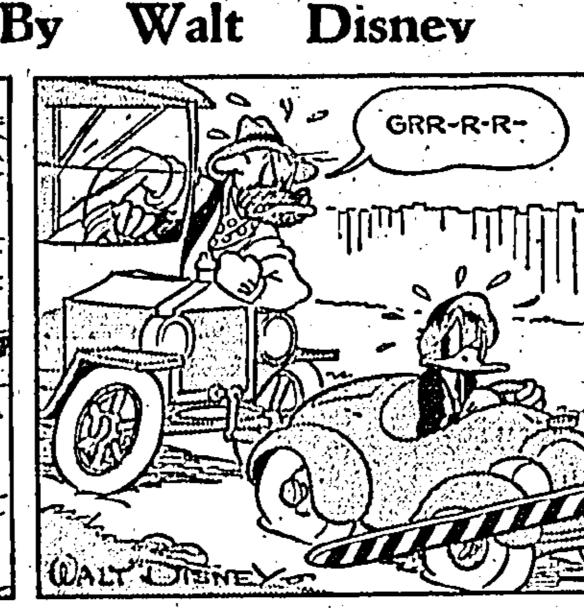




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about them: U.S., Placed Big Order The P.39 is being produced at Buffalo, New York, by the Bell Air-

craft Corporation. is a single-seat monoplane powered by a liquid-cooled Allison engine of 1,000 h.p., and fitted with retractable tricycle undercarriage. Entrance to the covered cockplt is by a side door.

The Bell Aircraft Corporation was formed in 1935. Its president, Mr Lawrence D. Bell, is well known in

The P.40 is already in production.
Its builders, the Curtiss-Wright Corporation of New York, announced last year that the U.S. Army Air Corps had placed a contract for the P.40, and that it was the biggest order for one type of plane ever signed in

Like the Bell P.39, the Curtis P.40 is an all-metal single-seat monoplane with 1,000 h.p. Allison

The Curtiss Corporation was established in 1910. Its Hawk fighter has been supplied in large numbers to the French Air Force and has already given an excellent account of itself over the Siegfried Line. Speed Secret

scater with twin fusciage and twin Commander in the Trondelag Allison engines. As in the case of region, Colonel Getz, received the Bell p. 39, it has a retractable tricycle undercarriage and is of all-letters at 11 p.m. on Thursday metal construction.

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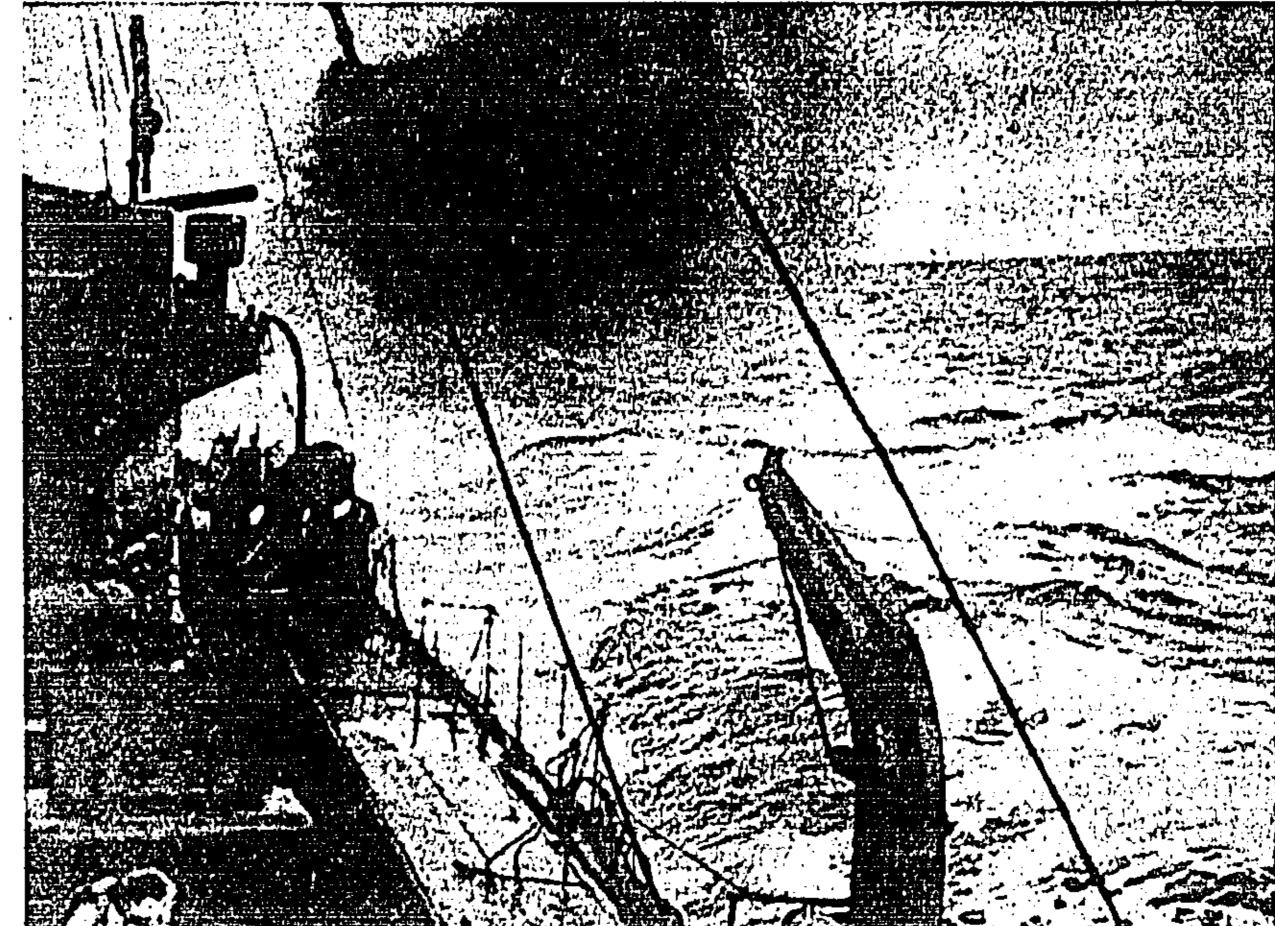
No details of its speed have been chief, General Audet.

seven hours.

Newcomer To Colony Disappears

ham last January and is said to be

who was also a majoo but he did not not stab Young. At the Magistracy, Mr. J. Jagger, M.P., in a speech he accused Lau, the man who said given to-day. that he saw him commit the crime, of



Hitler is ready."

said a spokesman.

first and will stay there."

in Norway.

"We will counter British ag-

gression-with-lightning-action,"

catastrophic defeat they encountered

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" STOCKHOLM. May 6 (UP) -The "Sydsvenski Dagbladet's" correspondent with the Norwegian forces on the Steinkjer The Lockheed P.38 is a single- front reports that the Norwegian from the British Commander-in-Its performance is believed to be Chief. General Carton de Wiart, and the French Commander-in-

Text Of Letter

The following is the text of the letter from General Carton de Wiart: "Dear Colonel Getz,-It is with great grief that I now inform you that we must evacuate this district. "Each of us feels it very deeply. "We leave some materials here and we are convinced it will be of great

use to you and your brave corps. "Concerning ourselves, we hope to be allowed to return here and help you successfully end your campaign." General Audet is reported to have stated that the expedition to southern Norway proved more difficult to Miss Olive R. Rowan, a Euro- realise than phyone had imagined in

M.P.'s Appeal Against Pacifist Campaign

"Any pence made before the military power of the Nazis is smashed would be defeat," said

"We are fighting for our very existence," he said. "Either the military power of the Nazis must be broken or we shall be broken by it. Liberty's Death Warrant "Every vote given to a 'Stop the

"In this hour when all we believe

ATTACK BOMBER'S NAZI CONVOY BRITISH ON

On Saturday we published a photograph of a German plane attacking a British Convoy, with anti-aircraft gunfire

bursting around it. Here is another photograph of the s a m e incident. shows an attendant destroyer's guns going into action as the raid is launched. Smoke from one of the destroyers 4.7 inch guns as she fires on the attacker. The bombers sunk two neutral ships in the Convoy and damaged two others.-Copyright.

SAFE AT LAST

Refugees From Norway Land In England

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).--Three Norwegian vessels have reached ports in North Scotland. Those on board include Norwegian and British refugees and several women and children.

The skipper of a Norwegian fishing boat, who believes that his was the last vessel to escape from Alesund, said that German planes bombed and machine-gunned people who were fleeling from the town in small open boats. He did not, however, see any boat hit by a bomb.

Narrow Escapo

An Englishman, Mr. Turner, who for 30 years has been manager for the British Aluminium Company in Norway, was accompanied by his Norweginn wife and daughter. He said they just escaped with The Jewish Polish Capt. Max their lives from Alesund.—He and Finklestein committed suicide by nearly a score of others crossed the shooting to-day. He was involved in North Sea in a small Norwegian fish-

"The Allies will suffer the same a rail bond irregularity. It will be ing boat. recalled that he was assigned in 1938 | Two Norwegian naval lieutenants to protect the German Consulate were on the boat. One of them is "Wherever it is, we will get there against anti-Nazi demonstrators.— arready serving in a British naval

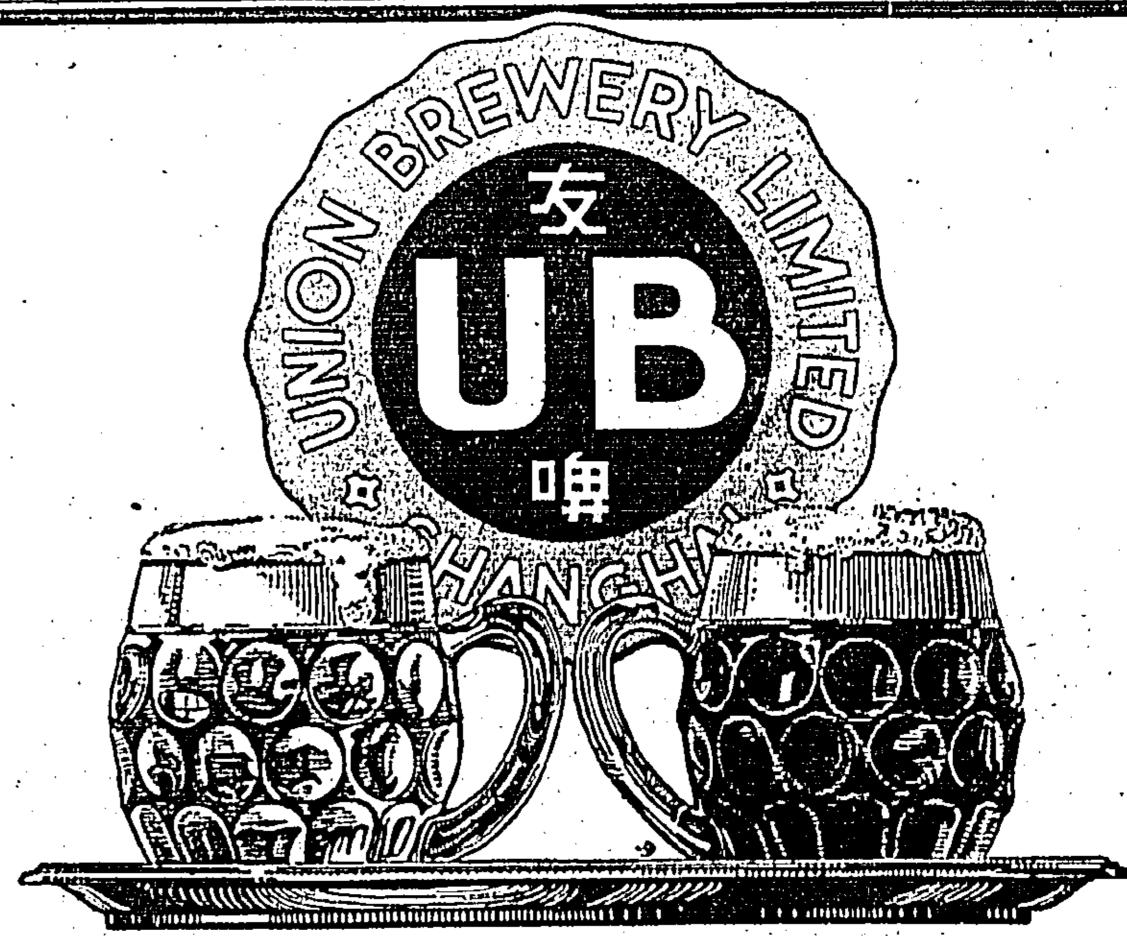
British Commander's "Great Grief"

Poignant Letter To Norwegian Colleague

Peace Now Is But Defeat

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-

War' resolution is another signature Pacifists will realise their insigni-



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SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

the Balkans that the "crushing victory in Norway is only a dress

rehearsal for the last decisive stage of the war, for which

BERLIN, May 5 (UP) .- German spokesmen to-day warned

(China),

Seven-Eighths of an Iceberg Is Under Water MAFOOS GARDENERS FATAL BRAWL Man Accused Of Murder At Criminal Sessions A brawl between majoos and gardeners in a ten house at

Fanling cross-roads on March 8, in the course of which one man was stabbed to death, was described at the Criminal Sessions. this morning when a youth named Wan Chun-ping was charged with the murder of Yeung Yuet. The case is being tried by the Chief and Yeung. The last two were on

Justice, Sir Atholi MacGregor, and their way home to Sheung Shui, but the following Jury: Messrs, E. Hau- when they arrived at Fanling cross- the American continent-from Bursamon (Foreman). Hung Kal- roads they were invited by Wong bank, California, to New York in chiu, J. N. Wilkinson, Ho Ynu-leung, and Lo to have tea with them. Pun Kwong-kuen, Chan Saik-yik

and Wan is defended by Mr. Percy The story of the Wongs and Lo was Woman Said

Alleged Crime Described

Mr. Murphy sald Wan was employed as a majoo at Kwanti by the able to pay, Sung assaulted him. military authorities and Yeung Was The Wongs and Yeung went to Lo's a gardener at the Fanling Mixed assistance, and then other people Farm.

The scene of the alleged crime was 20, set upon them. cross-roads. Sometime in February, a colleague of Yeung named Lo Ki joined a mah-jong school at the tea house, and among the players was one Sung Hung-tim, a major. The name, Sung with the following the players was one Sung Hung-tim, a major. The quite certain that a general bravil wednesday.

On the other hand, Sung and other pean woman residing at No. 505 advance, and small pean woman residing at No. 505 advance, and Mrs. G. A. Harriman, is required the game was a that even by with majors. arrangement as regards the game was started on that evening with maloos Wednesday. that money which was lost by the on one side and four gardeners on the Miss Rowan is reported to have players would go to pay for the other. Stools were thrown about arrived in Hongkong from Birmingmeals they had at the tea house, and there was general confusion.

lost about \$5. Meals were according- in the fight was-Wan. He was heard When last seen she was wearing pay. He then asked the proprietor ment when Wan took part in the fight and grey eyes. She was on a visit account to Wong King, No. 1 gar- struck Young in the back with the dener of the Fanling Mixed Farm, knife, according to this witness, a statement to the effect that though This was done but Lo did not tell whose name was Lau Kum-wing and he was present at the fight he did Wong about it.

Liability Repudiated

On March 7, Wong happened to go to the ten house and there he dissaulted him.

other gardener named Wong Ming and when formally churged he made . Hearing is proceeding,

Varied Stories

MARGRA-

and H. A. Esmail.

Mr. G. P. Murphy, Assistant Crown Solicitor, appears for the prosecution, what as to what next took place.

The evidence of the witnesses, continued Mr. Murphy, varied somewhat as to what next took place. at a table near the entrance, Sung, who was already there, came over and asked Lo for payment of the Missing debt. When Lo replied he was un-

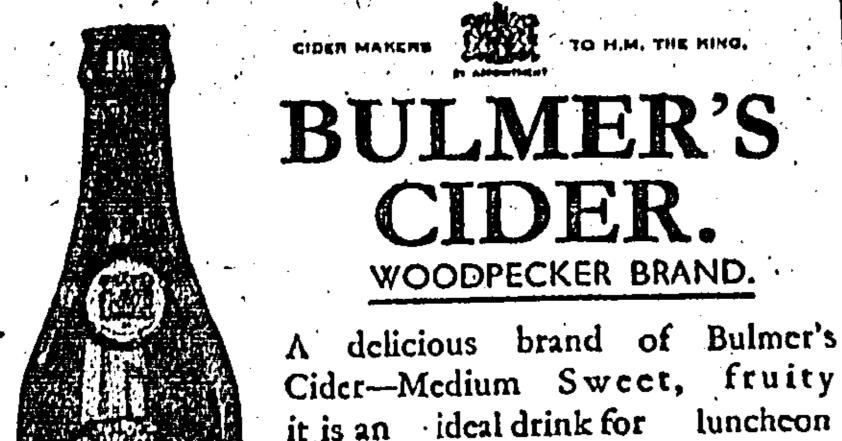
> who were present, numbering about On the other hand, Sung and other

At the end of February, Lo had Among other mafoos who joined between 34 and 40 years of age. ly taken up to this amount and de-shouting "Ta" (strike) and one wit- a red dress, black coat and hat and bited to him, but when the time for ness and one alone among the people shoes to match. She is 5 ft. 6 ins. payment arrived he was unable to present would say that at the mo- in height, slim and has dark hair the tea house to transfer the he had a knife in his hand. Wan to Kowloon when she disappeared.

Knife In Gutter

take part in the fight.

After he had been stabbed, Yeung having stabbed Yeung. He added covered for the first time what had ran to the door, followed by Wan that Lau had threatened to kill him been done. He repudiated any liabi- who still had the knife in his hand, also if he told the Police. lity for the debt and this was over- Young collapsed outside the tea house . In addition to the stab wound, the heard by Sung, who thereupon as and shortly after the fight he was body of Yeung was literally covered found by the master. The Police with brulses, while there were no Wong subsequently spoke to Lo were then informed, and when they signs of any violence on the person about the matter and the latter asked arrived they discovered a knife in a of Wan, apart from a tear in his on liberty's death warrant. him to go to the ten house the follow- gutter near the body. The knife bore trousers. ing evening when he would settle the blood stains but the Assistant Gov- The case for the Crown, Mr. in is in deadly peril, I appeal to all ernment Bucteriologist, who had ex- Murphy concluded. was that Wan to vote against such resolutions with About 8 p.m. on March 8, Wong amined it, was unable to say whe stabbed and killed Yeung, not in self- such a large majority that the and Lo left the farm and set out for ther or not it was human blood. . defence but with intention at least of Fascists, Communists and pseudothe ten house, accompanied by an- Wan was subsequently arrested doing him grievous bodily harm.



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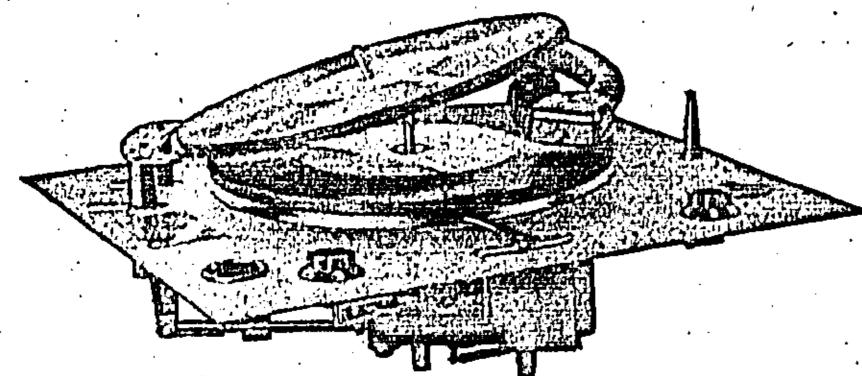
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Germans in Britain

When one speaks of Germans to-day one is apt to forget that there are large numbers of them who are scattered over the world, homeless, and without the rights of citizens. In Great Eritain alone there are more than 50,000 refugees from Germany or Austria, most of whom love their native country, yet desire its defeat in war. Their position has become even more difficult than before the outbreak of war, for they can neither return to their native land nor be certain that they will not be regarded as dangerous enemy aliens in the country of their asylum.

To the authorities in Britain they presented a problem which demanded delicate handling, for it was obvious that many of these Germans might be useful to the Allied cause, but among them were a few who might be agents of the enemy. A solution was found by the appointment of a larger number of tribunals which were instructed to deal as quietly as possible with the foreigners whose cases they were to examine, sending suspicious cases to internment camps, imposing mild restrictions on others, and leaving the remainder free to do what they liked. Of the 62,000 Germans or Austrians whose cases were reported on before January 15, only 120 were interned, 5,416 placed in the second category, while 42,697 were released from all restrictions.

The last named are free to take up any occupation they like, and nearly 1,000 have actually joined the British tighting forces. It is one of the advantages possessed by Allies that they have on their side large numbers of wellinformed and highly intelligent Germans who understand conditions in Germany and the psychology of the German people, and are now ready and anxious to put their knowledge at the disposal of Britain and France. In expelling Jews and making their country unsafe for other Germans who have disagreed with the regime, the Nazis have made a present to their opponents of some of Germany's best intellects.

MALAYA UNDER THE RULE OF THE NAZIS-A NIGHTMARE

The article below was published in the "Straits Times" and is 10 h.p. 40 m.p.g. re-published in the "Telegraph" with acknowledgments to our contem-12 h.p. 35 m.p.g. porary in Singapore. "Hongkong" could well be substituted for "Malaya"

> the streets of Singapore, but there was a curious atmosphere about the place. It did not seem at all like the old Singapore I used to. know. I had a heavy, drugged feeling and for a moment I wonder-

ed whether the impression of strangeness did not arise from causes within me and not from changes without. But then I began to notice things that were too unmistakable to be due to hallucination. For one thing all the signs over shops and on office doors that used to be in English were in German now-words as long as snakes in thick, squat cursive-style lettering; for another there was a plague of swastikas over the city,

I found myself walking through

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on flags, on plaques; on armlets, which struck upon my eye with their sharp outlines. I stared about me incredulously.

> There were Chinese, Indians, and Mulays as there had always been, but they seemed to have lost the carefree nir that I remembered. They went about furtively, glancing often to left and right. They did not gather in groups to laugh and chat but walked in twos or threes

> and hurrically as if they feared that they might be intercepted. Perhaps the police had something to do with it? There were many more police than I had ever seen but they were not the old Malay mata-matas and the Sikhs. They had disappeared. In their place there were Europeans in brown uniforms and all carrying automatic rifles with their fingers playing at the triggers. Their faces were a frown. From time to time other European and African soldiers in unfamiliar unlforms marched past in detachments carrying rifles. S. A. men, may be!

One detachment had a band playing the "Horst Wessel Song" which broke welrdly across the muffled sounds of the city. Impatient to learn the secret of the mystery I approached a middleaged Chinese who looked like a businessman intending to ask him to explain things to me, but when he saw me he edged away and I

realized that he was anxious to avoid any contact with Europeans. Just then one of the European policemen in the strange uniform stepped up to me and speaking sharply in German asked me for my identity card. My German was rather rusty but I understood him and felt automatically in my pocket. To my surprise I found a card there with my photograph on it and a mass of particulars concerning me and my movements and an intersection of official stamps. The policeman looked at it carefully and then handed it back to me with a curt nod. I saw him approach others, 'Asiatics, included, in the

same way and then I realized that

no one could be at large without

an identity card.

My experiences were disconnected and often confused but there were extremely clear and lucid intervals, more intense and disturbing than I can describe. I found myself at a book-stall looking for the familiar "Stralts Times," "Free Press," or "Tribune," seeking no doubt, for the solution of the mystery of what had happened to Singapore. But I could find none of them. All the newspapers were in German and I picked up "Singaporische Beobachter" paying for it with a nickel five prennig

plece I found in my pocket. edged away into a corner to look My German, as I say, was rusty but I could get the gist of the news and the articles. (How grotesque the heavy black type looked against the well-known background of Battery Road—Berchtesgadenstrasse was the name I caught sight of on n wall). I was astonished at the tone of the paper—so different from the catholic outlook and interest of the old press of Singapore. A new struggle was to come, this time with America, it seemed, and the paper was striving to lash up hatred of that country and of its people. The Americans, it appeared were trying to encircle the Great German Empire and to deny it its Lebensraum in the wide prairies of the Middle West, and to deprive it of access to the cotton fields of Georgia and

Carolina so essential for Greater German clothes and Greater German bombs. The U.S.A. was an effete democracy controlled by Jews, negroes, and Chleago gangsters etc.—all the old stuff but even more violent and rabid. There was some Malayan news but it read strangely. A demonstration of Hitler Youth was to be held in Penang, a conscript labour battalion was to be reviewed on the Goeringplatz in Singapore. Three hundred Chinese, one hundred and eighty Indians, and seventy Malays had been sent to the concentration camps at Segamat, Kajang, and Pulau Jerejak for crimes against the German state. I noticed, too, that a department called the State Tin and Rubber Control seemed to own all the mines and estates and there were figures showing the exports to Germany which absorbed nearly all the output. There was also an official notice by the Stadtsamt stating that workers who did not produce their quota or who falled to put in an average of twelve hours a day for six days a week

would be punished by being de-

prived of their ration cards. All

food was rationed, I gathered.

saw a reference too to the Koenig- 1 Marshal Goering Ten Year Plan of Self-Sufficiency- for Malasian India (Good God, I thought, had they got the Netherlands Indies too!) But my dizzy head failed to piece it all

together to make complete sense. Now I was looking for the vernocular press. Perhaps there I should find a clue. I asked a Malay where I could get "Warta Malaya."He looked at me susplclously for a moment and then said, "Lama suda berkunji tuan!" It had been suppressed. Of course it had. There could be no room for a paper advocating Malayan na-tionalism. I asked for the "Sin Chew Jit Poh," the "Union Times," or the "Sin Kuo Min Jit Poh."

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They had all disappeared. All I could get was a single sheet written In very bad Chinese which spoke of the duty of the Chinese to serve the Greater Germany. There was not a word in this paper—the Tai Tak Kwok Yat Po or the German Chinese Gazette it was calledabout the Sino-Japanese War which I had seen from a small item in the "Singaporische Beobachter" was, still going on. Chinese nationalism, though, was referred to in a leading article as a dangerous heresy which was adhered to only among the criminal classes of the Chinese in Malaysian

My recollection, as I have said, is discontinuous and imperfect, but I do remember that I began to feel a little more resigned to this monstrous world though more curious than ever to know what had happened to the land I had lived in. I managed to talk to a number of the people who seemed dreadfully afraid of the police and would speak only when they were sure that they were unobserved. But I was able to piece together the things they told me and gain a general impression of the shape of things that had come to pass. There were no longer any Malay

States or Malay rulers. They had been abolished. The Germans did not recognize the principle of protectorates. The whole of Malaya and the Netherlands Indies had become a single German colony under a Governor-General in Singapore. The Legislative, Federal, and State Councils had gone. All the powers of government were vested in the Eastern Branch of the Nazi Party, itself responsible to the Nazi Party of Germany. Arising in-Kelonton-had-been-ruthlessly suppressed and over 30,000 Malays had been killed. Education had been standardized under a Nazi programme. All the Malay, Chinese, and Indian schools had been taken over by the government. German was taught in all the schools but only so much as would enable pupils to understand the commands of their overseers or to use the tools of their trade. There were a few middle schools in which a higher standard was taught but these were merely factories for producing clerks and the textbooks were full of the glories of Nazilsm and the glories of the Aryan Race and the highest function of the graduates, they said, was to serve their German masters without question. One Indian told me how he had been flogged for being in possession of a pamphlet of the illegal Congress

Party. Here my recollection becomes vague again. The dull chloroformed feeling returned to me. The veil lifted for a second or two at a time and I seemed to be travelling in a train. The carriage was labelled "Aryans Only" and I saw Aslatics being herded into trucks in another part of the train. I heard the guitural shouts of a German major who was swelling at the neck and cursing an Asiatic official of some sort. It took me back to Germany when I was a prisoner-of-war. When my recollection cleared I found myself in surroundings that were again familiar. I recognized the streets and the building of Kunia Lumpur, But it was a changed-an un-

natural Kuala Lumpur, It seemed a city of condemned souls, a limbo of hopelessness. Petaling Street which had been so full of animation was like a Chinese cemetery on All Soul's Day. There were shell holes and bullet marks on the buildings which I could not explain. Gangs of coolies passed through the streets marching under overseers. The overseers carried whips. There was a curfew at dusk and the old bright lights of my time shone no more.

Now I was treading the staircase of the old Supreme Court. A trial was going on. A German was charged with listening-in to the American wireless. He was sentenced to six years penal servitude. -But I could see no Asiatics anywhere except the court ushers and interpreters for witnesses. I met an educated looking Indian in the corridor.

"Where are the Asiatics?" I asked him in English, "Where are the" Chinese and Indian lawyers?" He gazed at me in astonishment. I repeated by question and then he, seeing that I was genuinely

ignorant and that we were alone, put his finger to his fips and said in a whisper. "They have been abolished. Surely you know that? Where have you come from? I was a lawyer once with a big practice—under the English of course. Now I am an interpreter on forty marks u month: It is either that or the concentration camp at Kajan. But

haven't you read 'Mein Kampf'?

Don't you know the passage about

native lawyers and semi-apes?" He smiled bitterly. "Is that it?" I exclaimed, "But where are the courts for Asiatics?" "They have another court. Where the Magistrate's Courts used to be. But there is no code of law, no lawyers to argue. Everything is decided by the German magistrate. The punishment is heavy fines or flogging-sometimes worse. Even for trivial offences. The prisons and the camps are full. Life is ghastly. Rations you can't live on. There is nothing you could buy in the shops if you had the money. The Ten Year Plan comes first and last. But," he added

time will come. The Americans will blockade Malaya and we shall A policeman was coming along the corrider. My Indian friend turned quickly on his heel. Shapes became indistinct again, I felt I wanted to cry out like a man who

was being suffocated—and then,

gritting his teeth and a savage

light coming into his eyes. "Their

thank God, I woke up! What a murvellous relief it was to find myself in my bed, bathed though I was in a cold sweat. I went to the verandah of the house in which I was staying and there was the Union Jack still flying over Government House. A mata-mata was on his beat down below at the corner. I could see the British worships in the harbour. Once again. Thank God! It had been nothing but a ghastly nightmare!

Now a few of you who have read my nightmare may be inclined to think that it is a mere fantasy full of exaggerations and stretchings of possibility. Mere propaganda in inct. Now listen to this.

The Right Honourable L. S. Amery, one-time Secretary of of State for the Colonies, tells us that no special criminal code for natives of German colonies was ever worked out. In 1912 the German Reichstag Deputy, Dr. Mueller,

"Our civil and military administration of justice is simply indefensible....With regard to native justice and administration there exists an incredible uncertainty concerning the powers of the administrative authorities.....One judge uses the German Penal Code -without-further-ado,-another-does not use the Penal Code at all In short our criminal proceedings are in a condition which leaves the native entirely without rights."

In 1908 another Deputy, Herr Storz, had said:-"Nothing shows the difference in the position as to the rights of nativės in German and English colonies so much as the administration of justice; the English solemn, earnest, entirely hedged in by guarantees of justice; of the German courts everything without form, and even if the intention to deal out justice be there....every-

ance of force and arbitrariness. Herr Storz went on to point out that whereas English District Commissioners could decide only minor matters, German officials without judicial training could decide on the life and death of natives subject only to the confirmation of the Governor who would invariably go by his subordinate's report.

thing surrounded with the appear-

Sir Hugh Clifford, afterwards, Governor of the Straits Settlements, in his official report on Togoland says that the public was excluded from all German courts, overy case being practically tried in camera. German magistrates were bound by no criminal code, far less by any code of criminal procedure, in cases where natives were concerned. The only criminal code in force in Togoland was expressly applicable to Europeans exclusively. In practice this meant that any native, no matter how innocent of an intention to give offence or how unconscious he might be of having done so was liable to be flogged or otherwise punished by almost any German official whom he had the misfortune to displease.

The statements of Deputies like Judge Roeren, Herr Bebel, and others in the Reichstag debates confirmed this, as well as the terrible severity of the punishment inflicted. Deaths caused by floggings were frequent. Not only men, but women and children were liable to flogging. One of the revolts in the Cameroons was caused by Deputy-Governor Kleist ordering the flogging of twenty women, wives of native soldiers, for being lazy. The native soldiery and native police, indeed, were generally given a dangerously privileged position in order to attach them to their rulers. On the other hand the native chiefs themselves were continually logged. "Do not imagine that it was mere-

ly underlings who committed these

brutalities. The very head of the administration could be guilty. In. 1897, as the result of Reichstag protests, Dr. Karl Peters, then Im-perial Commissioner in German. East Africa, was brought before a disciplinary court in Germany on a variety of counts. Evidence was given of terrorism, plunder, the flogging and chaining of women and children, forced concubinage, and murder. The most atroclous of his crimes was the hanging of a native youth, ostensibly for stealing: cigarettes, really for visiting Peters's native concubines. One of them had fled for protection to a neighbouring chief, and was also-hanged after having been flogged day after day until her back resembled 'chopped meat.' Poters was dismissed the service—not for the crimes he had committed, but for giving false reports to his superiors. Subsequently he was granted his pension, and a statue in his honour was erected at Dar-es-Salaam. Herr Hitler has described him as 'a model, if stern, administrator.' 'A model, if stern. administrator'i

Under the government of Herr von Putikamer in the Cameroons, the Akwa chiefs petitioned to the Reichstag in 1905 against the excessive flogging and ill-treatment of their people, and were promptly arrested and sentenced to long terms of imprisonment for their audacity (Have you ever heard of that happening to persons in Malaya who dared to petition the Secretary of State?). The matter was taken up in the Reichstag, the sentences on the chiefs quashed, and the whole administration of the Colony inquired into, with the result that the Governor was found gullly of 'administrative laxity,' fined £50, and retired.

And there are many other cases: which I have no time to mention. In my nightmare I imagined the suppression by the Nazis of a rising in Kelantan. Is this fancy or exaggeration too? Listen.

In German South-West Africa there was a tribe of natives called the Hereros. It was the settled policy of the Germans to compel them to work as hired labourers. upon the lands they had heretofore owned. To begin with they were allotted entile reserves. "These cattle reserves," wrote Herr. Karl Dove, "are an obstacle to the economic development of the country, for it is without doubt owing to this reason that so few of the Hereros enter the service of Europeans," while the Deutsche-Sudwest-airikanische Zeitung, the German South West Africa Times, stated that "the country must be-Inhabited by white colonists-Therefore the natives must disappear, or rather put themselves at the disposal of the whites, or retire into the reserves set apart for

In the end the government decided that they must disappear, and with characteristic German thoroughness set about causing them to disappear. In the Herero War of 1904-1906 General von Trotha deliberately pursued a policy of extirpation, driving the whole tribe into the Kalahari Desert. At the end of the struggle. only 15,000 Hereros were left out. of a population of 80,000.

In 1905 the Majl-Majl rising in East Africa led to the killing of by the rifle and by starvation of 120,000 natives.

Before General Von Trotha began his campaign of massacre he issued a proclamation. "The Hereros nation must leave the country. If the people do it not I will compel them with the 'big tube.' Within the country every Herero, with or without a rifle, with or without cattle, will be

Now I have not been raking: through the records to find facts discreditable to the German administration. No raking was required. The instances of ruthlessness and cruelty stand out in any account of the German colonization in Africa. "It was impossible in Africa to get on without cruelty," sald Herr Dove.

All this was before the last war. In those days there was some democracy in Germany. Humane men could criticize: questions could be asked by Deputles in the Reichstag: Germany was sensitive to world opinion. Since then Blood and Iron have come back into their own. The Nazis makeit plain beyond all doubt that the only business of colonies is to servethe arbitrary will of the ruling race. The following words of Hitler have been quoted by His Excellency the Governor. They cannot too often be brought to the notice of those who might forget. the Nazi gospel and the intention of the Nazis if they were victori-

"One hears from time to time," says Herr Hitler in "Mein Kampf" "that a negro has become a lawyer, teacher, tenor or the like. This is a sin against all reason. It is criminal lunacy to train a born semi-ape to become a lawyer. It is a sin against the Elernal Creator to train Hottentots and Kaffirs to intellectual professions." And we need not imagine that Herr Hitler regards Asiatics in a much more favourable light than he does negroes. All who are not: Aryans, the Superior Race, are inferior, and all who are not Europenns, even if not semi-apes, areno more than sub-men. We need have no doubt us to what would happen to Malaya under Nazi rule. The Fuchrer's scholarship is confined to the study of invective, chilednery, and the use of a trower PLEASE Turn To Page 4.

Cabinet Not To Blame

NO SPLIT OVER EVACUATION

BPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, May 5 (UP).-Political circles now prophesy that the Government will be "let off with a caution" when the withdrawal from Norway is debated in the Commons during the coming week, despite the storm of criticism which beat on Mr. Chamberlain's head from within his own camp as well as the Opposi-

In a statement last Friday Sir John Simon said that there was no division in the Cabinet when the decision was taken to withdraw from Namsos—a statement which is believed to have put the ground from under the feet of those critics planning to split the Government by alleging that Mr. Chamberlain and the majority of the Cabinet restrained Mr. Churchill and the Navy from attacking Trondheim at the out-

The statement also prevents any attempt to use Mr. Churchill as the spearhead of a new war policy or move for a new Cabinet. Churchill Defended

The "Sunday Despatch" to-day took the extraordinary course of devoting its main news positions to an editorial defence of Mr. Churchill.

way now would mean a serious disorderly manner. weakening of our war effort," the

It adds that the new powers conferred on Mr. Churchill with his appointment on April 3-to preside over a Committee of Service Ministers-were "held up" and that his powers have been given "definite

limits." Government's Case everything still depends upon the man. strength of the case which the Government will present to the House of Commons on Tuesday, two new considerations are tending to swing the situation in their favour, states

Reuter's Lobby Correspondent. Sir John Simon's statement on Friday that there were no divisions in the Cabinet in Norway has disposed of one of the hopes of the more advanced of the Government's critics. The hope was that it would have been found that all would have been well at Trondheim had Mr. Winston Churchil and the Navy not been restrained by the Prime Minister and

the majority of the Cabinet... On the information now available this idea appears to be without foundation.

Consequently the prospect of Mr. Churchill becoming the spearhead of a new war policy and even of a new

Cubinet recedes.

Neutral Opinion Resented The second consideration is the freedom with which some neutral it at all. opinion is arguing that the Allies have let down Norway and will let down any other neutrals who rely upon Station.

them after trouble has begun. Just us the House of Commons on Tuesday is capable, if in the mood, of foreing some modification of the Government personnel or policy despite the Cabinet having been 'unanimous on Norway, so even more quickly will it rally to support the Government' because of those criticisms if the Government makes a really good case.

Criticism from neutrals are strongly resented among the members of Parliament whose only information leads them to believe that the sole

learn on Tuesday that the same situation must be expected with regard to other areas which might become involved.

Therefore, a section of the House of Commons may prove strongly critienl of the Government personnel and war policy in its wider aspects and the details of the Norweglan operations. But when presented with more particulars of the Government's difficulties than it has been possible to reveal up to now, coupled with the widespread resentment at the criticisms by the neutrals, this section will in effect let the Government off with a warning that certain lines of disatisfaction must be heeded and the present political situation will be allowed for remain unchanged for the present.

This, at present, appears to be the most probable result of two days debate.

The situation, however, might be latered materially if the discussions attended any new willingness of the Copposition parties to accept a long standing invitation to join the Government.

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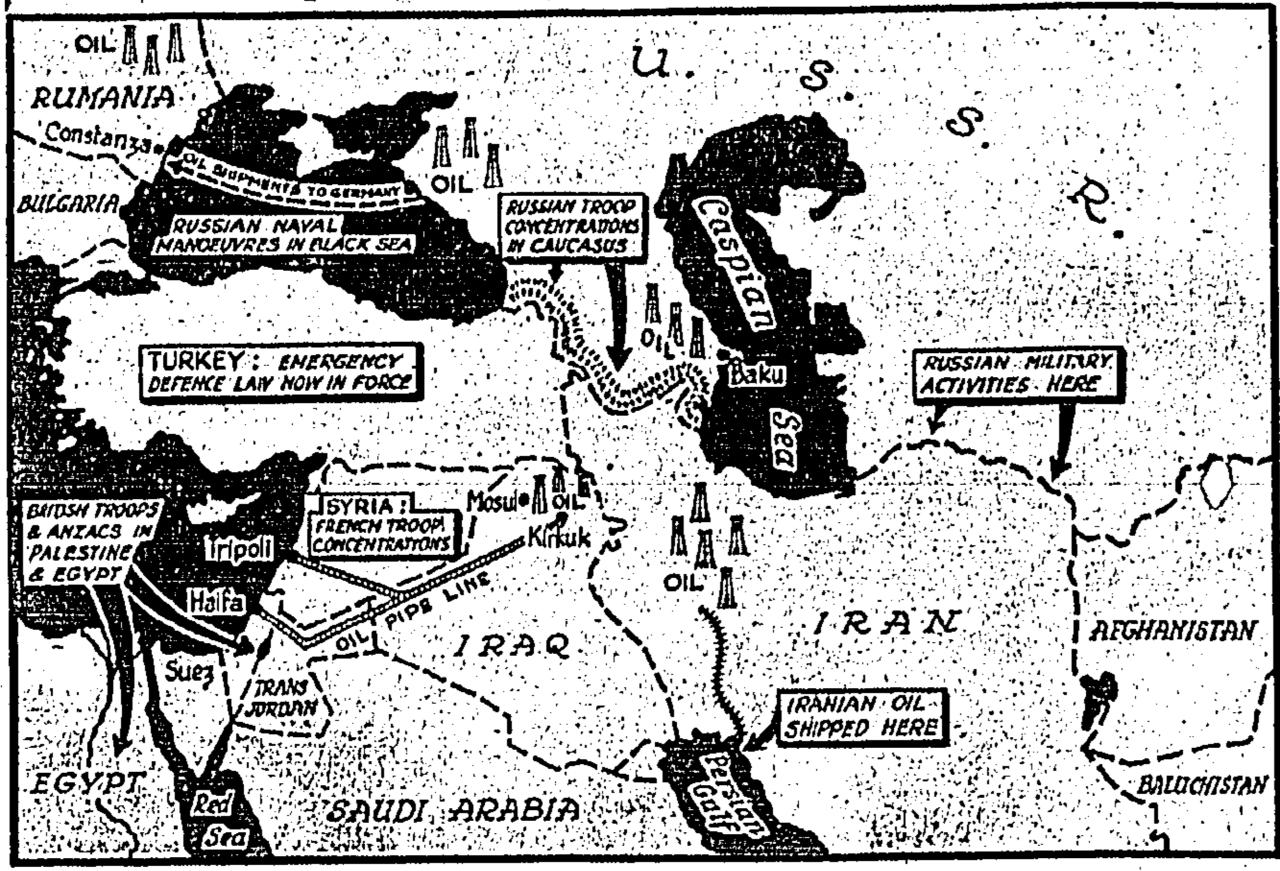
WASHINGTON, May 6 (Reuler).

NEWS MAP of the NEAR EAST

map shows | THIS you the situation in the Near and Middle East at a glance. The oilfields | are being watched carefully.

of this area make it of vital importance. to the belligerents. Developments there

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ASSAULTED POLICE OFFICER

Incident Outside Hongkong Hotel

Road, appeared before Mr. R. E. Churchill with the blame for Nor- | charges of assault and behaving in a naval battle at Narvik.

He was charged with assaulting Sub-Inspector Oram at Pedder Street and behaving in a disorderly manner at the Central Police Station. Mr. W. A. Mackinley pleaded guilty on behalf of the defendant.

Wanted To Fight

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).-While Defendant was going to fight another Norman Lancaster, R.N.V.R.; before he got into any trouble.

present, then produced his identity

fendant. Sergeant Brown, who was

handed to the Magistrate to read. the left eye.

-struck-me,"-he-continued. and at the Central Police Station B. J., Stoker, First Class; Brown, Thomas, made further remarks. These were Signalman: Brown, Rex, Telegraphist; also written down and handed to the

Magistrate in Court. No Recollection Of Affair

very much under the influence of Fred P., Able Seaman; Duffy, Joseph, liquor," continued Mr. Mackinley, Stoker, Petty Officer. "and it was that alone which was Edwards, William H., J., Able Seaman responsible for the whole of this unfortunate incident. This is the first time defendant has been in trouble."

continued, "to express his sincere regret to the officers concerned."

Defendant was fined \$70 — \$60 on the the charge of assault and \$10 on the the charge of assault and the charge of assault and the charge of assault and the char

The trial of Kenneth Duncan motor accident, which was originally fixed for the May Sessions, has been advanced to Thursday at 10 a.m. Class, Knight, William H. H. Able Seaman.

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HUNTER CASUALTIES **Admiralty Issues**

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVEN men-8 officers, Swiss "Gazette" says:

Full List

Forty-three of the men mentiontheir names are not yet known. Here is the list of ensualties: OFFICERS

Lieutenant-Commander L. de Vil-Hers, R.N. (in command); Mr. J. H. Coombe, Acting Gunner (T.), R.N., Sub-Inspector Oram sald that at Probationary Temporary Surgeon new blockaded countries. Occupa-1,30 a.m. on Sunday, he saw defend- Lieutenant H. G. Evans, R.N.V.R.: ant, outside the Hongkong Hotel, Probationary Sub-Lieutenant, Peter tenant H. R. M. Maidlow, R.N. Sub-Inspector Oram requested him Lieutenant K. B. P. Pearson, R.N.: not to fight and told him to leave Lieutenant (E:) A. G. Reid, R.N.; Lieutenant H. A. Stuart-Menteth. "Who the hell are you," asked de- R.N.

Balley, Albert J., Leading Scaman; Bainett, William C., Able Seaman, R.F.R.; Berry, John F., Stoker First Class, Bitten, expeditionary corps, Continuing. Sub-Inspector Oram Thomas, Stoker First Class, R.F.R.; Black. said that defendant struck him on Albert A. R., Electrical Artificer Third cannot compensate for the irreparable the left eve. "Your Worship can see where he Norman W. G., Able Seaman; Bradfield losses at sea." Wm. A., Stoker First Class; Bray, Fred-Defendant was taken into custody G. C., Leading Stoker; Broom, Desmond Brown, Thomas, Signalman; Bulcher,

Frederick W., Ordinary Scaman. Carding, Douglas, C. Ordinary Seaman; Carruthers, Cyril, Stoker, First Class; Carruthers, William, Able Scamon; Caton. Mr. Mackinley said that the Incident was very unfortunate and that the defendant had no recollection of it at all.

He remembered going to the Hong-kong Hote, and woke up in the Police kong Hote, and woke up in the Police Cushnic Hector, Stoker, First Class; Clark, Harry, Able Seaman; Clayton, Lesle A., Able Seaman; Cook, Stanley, W. J., Able Seaman; Coutts, Charles S., Able Seaman; Cox, John, Able Seaman; Craft, Robert, Ordinary Seaman; Cromey, Walter F., Able Seaman; Cunningham, John, Petty Officer; Cushnic Hector, Stoker, Second Class, "He was throughout the whole time Day, Edward F., Signalman; Davies,

Eley, Thomas, Acting Leading Scaman; Evans, Leonard, Able Scaman; Evans, Bamuel, E., Stoker, Petty Officer. Farnell, John A., Engineroom Artificer, Mr. Mackinley asked the Court to take a lenient view of the whole incident.

If am instructed by defendant," he continued, "to express his sincere re-

icads them to believe that the sole reason that the Allied troops were not in Scandinavia before the Germans was the Allies respect for the Scandinavian neutrality policy during and after the Finnish campaign and with the lack of precautions necessarily associated with that policy.

TRIAL BROUGHT

FORWARD

Alleged Manslaughter

Norway May Be Repeated

Many members are prepared to large of assault and \$10 on the charge of behaving in a disorderly manner.

Stoker, First Class.

Hague, John C., Able Seaman; Harris, Edwin J., John, Able Seaman

Stanley G., Stoker, First Class. Irwin Arthur D. Able Soaman. James Gwilym I G, Able Scaman; Johns, Bruce, a naval officer, on a charge Robert G. Ordinary Scaman; Johnson, of manslaughter arising out of a David, Able Scaman.

Germany's Problems

Ultimate Success In Norway Doubtful

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .- The "Germany's complete occupation of 147 ratings, and two members southern Norway seems, inevitable, M. D. Dietrich, of Prince Edward of the N.A.A.F.I. staff-are but does not modify the general Edwards at the Central Magistracy missing following the sinking of situation, while the ultimate success "Any attempt to saddle M. this morning and was fined \$70 on the destroyer Hunter in the first of her adventure is still problematical. "Only a month ago, Germany was sheltered by the neutrals. She alone profited by the use of their territorial ed below were taken prisoner, but waters and benefited by all that Denmark and Norway could supply.

Thankless Task

"She now has the thankless task of maintaining the domination of two tion, so dearly bought by the German Navy, may present momentary economic advantages, but it is doubtful whether it can compensate for the loss of all the benefits the Reich derived from their neutrality."

cannot count permanently on the power. superiority of men and material with which they obtained their first suc-At this stage, said Sub-Inspector Cram, defendant passed several remarks.

Damey, Americal, Leading Scaman; Ballans, Harry, Leading Stoker; Barrett, William H. J., Norway will be a great disappointmarks.

Damey, Americal, Leading Scaman; Ballans, Harry, Norway will be a great disappointment in Berlin where a lightning victory was anticipated, but the man; Beavan, Francis, Telegraphist; BeckGermans are now wondering how to cesses. Stabilisation of the front in These were written down and ford, Daniel P., Stoker First Class; Ben. Germans are now wondering how to

"A few mountainous provinces

Nazi Leader Murdered

Czech's Revenge Act In Prague

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" PRAGUE, May 5 (UP).-A German named Ernst Leimer was shot dead by a Czech civilian on May 2, reports released to-day disclose. Leimer is a prominent member of

the Nazi Party. So far there has been no official version of the murder, but it is understood that the perpetrator was

Public Works, reports that someone removed clothing to the value of \$20 from his motor car while it was t parked outside the Hongkong Club

NOT VERY PLAUSIBLE Futility Of Nazi

Propaganda

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .--"For some weeks now examples have been given of the various ways in which the Nazis are trying to put their propaganda across," said a B.B.C. commentator yesterday.

"These examples have shown that the Nazl effort has sometimes been the 'lie direct', sometimes the 'lie indirect' and sometimes a quick change of face. The latter was used when he Nazis took over the Allied war claims and announced that they were going to free Europe from terror and so on."

Continuing, the commentator said that last week Ribbentrop defended the invasion of Norway on the same grounds which Germany used to de-fend her use of poison gas in the last war, i.e. that Britain was about to do the same thing. Ribbentrop's Failure
If Ribbentrop had studied the

world reaction after his speech he probably felt saddened to find how sceptical and doubtful the world was about a German Minister's pledges. Ribbentrop gave his story of how the campaign in Norway had started. The fact that the campaign had started was about the only true thing

he did mention. Hitler, however, then announced that It had ended and the German Army had finished its "mighty task." That was the most interesting effort of Nazi propaganda for the month. It was led up to by statements about how the world approved of the Nazi invasion, how the Norwegians were collaborating and how the

destroyer at Narvik. The Bigger, The Better As a prelude, Dr. Goebbels last week wiped out the British fleet. That was not true then and it is not

British had flot sunk a single

Hitler's lie was now a bigger one than it was when he uttered It. But that probably pleased him for does not "Mein Kampf' say something about "the bigger the lie the

Nazi propaganda had two objects -to unite the Germans and disunite the Allies on the home front. Has it united the Germans? Various newspapers complain about

the number of people trying to get food by devious means. The German radio was angry about people who read their newspapers from the "wrong end and mutter 'if only we were allowed to talk."

The Norwegian campaign had been second page news in all the papers. Here at home the Prime Minister's speech on Thursday was one such as no German official had dared to The "Tribune" says: "The Germans | make since the Nazis came into

In the House of Commons this speech will be examined and judged.

Wants More Action

Labour Leader On War Methods:

LONDON, May 5 (British Wire-less).—The attitude of Labour leaders to the war was shown by two speeches made on Saturday.

Mr. Ernest Bevin, of the Transport Workers' Union, said that we were tired of hearing how one small ship went out and tackled overwhelming odds and how two fighters went into combat with ten raiding bombers. It was all very well for the country's men to have courage, but what he

wanted was equality of weapons. Mr. W. Lawther, of the Miners' Federation, said: "We have no room for those dismal pessimists who see in every fresh phase of our struggle room for doubting the triumph of the cause we have undertaken."

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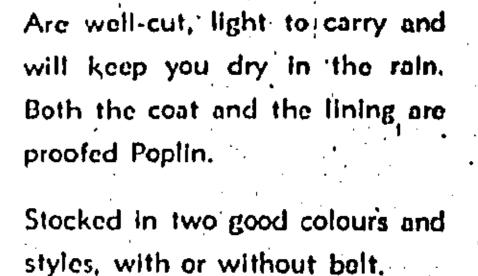
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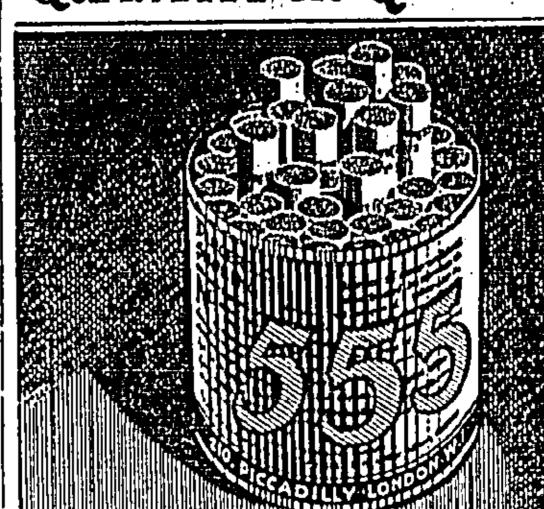
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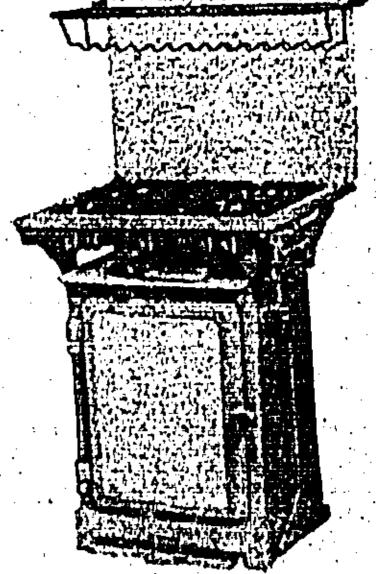
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MONDAY MORNING COMMENTARY NAVY-EASTERN GAME DISAPPOINTS

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second, a length behind, and Dit was

two lengths, while inches separated

second and third. The betting was

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RECORDS

D. H. Taylor, of the Police,

events, gaining first place in the

Miss June Hall, too, secured her

FINAL TEAM STANDINGS

College (62 points); 2, Ln Salle Col-

Boys' "C" grade.-1, Pul Ying Col-

lege (29); 3, Wah Yan College (20).

shot putt.

presented the prizes.

of the various schools:

ed yesterday were:

London, May 5.

Roman, Royal Man and Pictor,

May 4 (UP).-In the greatest upset

in the history of the race and before

here to-day.

Poor Passing Approach Work: Navy Defeated By 4-3

The Royal Navy, conquerors of South China "A" and "B", met the Eastern team, recently returned from a successful tour of the Philippines, in a disappointing display for two teams who have gained such renown in local soccer circles, at Causeway Bay ground yesterday, and lost three goals to four. Two of Shanghai's "star" players were seen in action. N. Z. Lee, Lido and Shanghai centre-half, at left-back and C. T. Tsao, Lido final. and Shanghai left-wing, at inside-left.

Eastern played listless football in the first half, at the end of which the score was tied at 1-1. Play was brisk in the second half, and some good constructive football was

exhibition at goal despite the ball, while Lee Tack-kee was never Royal Scots A. four goni deficit. He displayed seen as a leader. keen anticipation and remarkaangled shots in fine style.

mistakes, while Honiwell was not so by lazy passes.

HENDY HARDEST WORKER

EPAGE was the best forward on ing deflected inwards. view in the first half. In the Hendy led a determined Navy raid econd, with O'Regan, they pierced on Eastern area, and culminated a the stolid defence of Eastern to give fine piece of dribbling to beat Lau them some anxious moments. Hendy with a nice hook shot. Eastern drew master Jordan, Capt. Douglass; Cpl was the hardest worker throughout level after many minutes. Hsu drew Devereux, Col. Hitchcock, Pie. Melkle.

occupied and was not his usual safe Hau for the latter to run in and beat Pte. Marable

forced his way through Navy de- Navy players. fence to set his forwards on a clear. In one of Navy's raids, Cheng was path goalwards. Ng Chi-tsiang and pulled up for a foul on Hendy, and support, Ng being the better com- shot taken at the spot.

bination of skill and power. forward, and executed many of the of a nice movement by Cheung and moves which enabled Eastern to gain Chung. Chung's centre was fisted their victory. T. C. Tsao and Hau out by Robinson for Hau to obtain Ching-to formed the most dangerous possession and shoot past Robinson left flank, and showed excellent before he could get back into his understanding of each other's play, goal, Chung Yung-sum was hardly ever

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

THE FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 11th and MONDAY, 13th May, 1940, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on Saturday, and at 12.30 p.m. on Monday.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. on the First Day and at 12.00 NOON on the Second Day. The Timn Interval will be after the second race (1.00 p.m.) on the Second

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE badges are now cancelled and will The complete results were: no longer procure admission to the Enclosure.

The Secretary's Office, 1st floor, Exchange Bullding, (Tel. 27794) will close at 11.45 a.m. on the First Day and at 10.45 a.m. on the Second Day, Timns are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE The price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ludies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sallors in Uniform are admitted Half Prico.

By Order, C. D. BROWN,

Secretary. Hongkong, 6th May, 1940,

NAVY OPEN SCORE

ble agility to save point-blank MINUTES from the whistle a nice was full of excitement, and the slight IVI movement by O'Regan and Navy's defence was at most times Thoburn saw the latter test Lau with progress did not make play easier for excellent. There were times, how- a point-blank shot which was ever, when they were invelgled into cleverly saved. Lackadaisleal play false positioning. Roughly, by his predominated, and much constructive work was spoiled on either side

Honeywell was the best half, de- Hendy received from O'Regan to Kumaons A beat Royal Engineers A. fence and attack, in the first half fumble his way past N. Z. Lee and and kept Eastern's left flank well beat Lau at close range. From this Middlesex A, and Kumaons beat covered. In the second he allowed reverse, Eastern made great efforts' them too much scope in his anxiety to wake from their lethargy, but it to concentrate solely on his for- was not till the close of the first half that Cheung caused Robinson to go full length to partially save his shot, the ball striking the upright and be-

Lau Hin-hon appeared pre-eluded Honiwell to give the ball to Robinson with a nice rising shot.

N. Z. Lee, playing in an un- Eastern continued their pressure accustomed position, was not seen and Hsu again broke through to at his best, but with Cheng Ying- pass to Hau. Darky Lee received singh, Joginder Singh; Sohan Singh, Chaja kiten managed to present a difficult Hau's centre to beat Robinson with Singh, Darshan Singh, obstacle for Navy. Cheng was the a well placed shot. Eastern were better of the two, clearing strongly. seen at their best at this period. Hau King-sing was the best half Tsao and Hau combined well, and on view. He vaulted, dribbled and with Cheung, made rings round

Lo Wal-kuen lent him excellent Roughly made no mistake with the

Eastern drew ahead soon after Cheung Kam-hoi was the best through Hau, who was the tailend

> The teams were:
> Eastern.—Lau Hin-hon; Cheng Ying-kuen, N. Z. Lee; Lo Wai-kuen, Hau Kingseng, Ng Chi-tsang; Chung Yung-sum, Cheung Kam-hoi, Darky Lee, C. T. Tsao and Hau Ching-to.
> Royal Navy,—Robinson, Roughly, Honiwell; Honeywell, Nichols, Britt: Phippens, LePage, Hendy, Thoburn and O'Regan.

CINCINNATI BEAT NEW YORK GIANTS

NEW YORK, May 5 (Reuter).-The Cincinnati Reds nosed out the New York Glants by 3-2 in the The temporary green cardboard National Baseball League to-day. by A. R. Markar.

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RECREIO 66A" TROUNCE CRAIGENGOWER C.B.A. Win Final Hockey Three Close Matches

Six-a-side Matches Held At King's Park

Tournament

THE FINAL TOURNAMENT of the Hongkong hockey season, the Six-a-side tournament, was won by the Central British Association at King's Park yesterday, First Division of the Lawn Bowls League on Saturday by when their "A" team beat the 78 shots to 44. Though the result was not a surprise the Kumaon Rifles "A" 3-1 in the margin of defeat was. This score, however, was not the

competition, and four grounds—the the Indian R.C. in the Third Division, but won by a smaller C.B.A., the Y.M.C.A., the Navy and the Recrelo grounds—were occupied. margin. C.B.A. A defeated Submarines A. Queen's College, Kowloon Indian Tennis Club, and Middlesex A to reach the final, and the Kumaons A beat Normads A. Royal Corps Robinson' gave a sparkling seen, being continually robbed of the Signals A, Royal Engineers A, and

THE FINAL

THE FINAL, on the Navy ground drizzle which fell while it was in ground, G. H. Fowler scored both goals for the C.B.A.

In the quarter-finals, Middlesex A beat Middlesex B, Central British a crowd of 90,000, the largest to wit-Association A beat the K.I.T.C., ness a horse race in the United States, After some pressure by Navy, Royal Scots A beat 36th. Battery, and Gallahadion won the Kentucky Derby In the semi-finals, C.B.A. A beat Royal Scots A.

The following were the last eight

C.B.A. "A".-V. C. Bond; T. S. D. Whitley, N. B. M. Whitley; S. A. Fowler, G. H. Fowler, M. Dunne. Kumpons A,-Gussein Singh; Kishen Singh, Krishina Singh; Lall Singh, Neraln Singn. Partaub Singn. Middlesex A.—Pte. Stickley; Sgt. Crow- \$72.40, \$13.80 and \$4.80.—United ley, Ptc. Pearson; Ptc. Jackson, Ptc. Press. Shechan, Ple. Coomer.

Royal Scots A .- Major Harland: Band-K.I.T.C.-Karnall Singh: Kalwant Singh. the match and fully deserved his Nichols and passed him to send a Bagh Singh; Pyara Singh, Mohinder Gallahadion 25/1, Bimelech 1/2, and two goals.

Iong lob to Tsao, Tsao trapped, Singh, C. Pinto, Dit 6/1. Middlesex B.-L/Cpl. Painting; Sgt. Ure, Sgt. Waldron; Bdms, John, Bdms. Hymas Royal Engineers A .- Spr. Heath; Sgt. Croston, L/Cpl. Shaw; Sgt. Denyer, L/Sgt.

Four teams participated in the St. Yorkshire League.—Bradford 33, Half-fax 14: Castleford 13, Huddersfield 3: Andrew's seven-a-side tourney on Dewsbury 15, Featherstone 16: Hull Kings-Saturday at King's Park, and result- ton 36. York 10; Hunslet 20, Wakefield 15. red-in-g-win-for-the-team-captained by Miss Jessie Wong, who beat Mrs. Bliss' team by a solitary goal. Several players did not arrive, and as a result 14: Bridgend 16, Neath 8; Pontyridd 12, Recreio. the four teams of six-n-side took the Cardin 12.

Miss J. Wong's team beat Miss F Wong's team by a goal. Mrs. Bliss' team beat Miss Reid's team by a goal. Miss J. Wong's team beat Mrs. WOMEN'S NATIONAL

Bliss' team by a goal.

INDIAN R.C. ANNUAL SPORTS MEETING

THE NINTH annual athletic meeting of the Indian Recreation Club was held at Sookunpoo yesterday chen, of True Light Girls College, clocked 6.7 seconds for and a great keenness was predominant throughout the events, which were mainly novelty races.

The 100 yards championship was and 54.45 metres respectively. won by K. Singh, closely followed At the conclusion of the meet, the prizes were distributed by Mrs. R. won his triple in the Open

Nazarin. Winners of the various tennis and javelin throw, having already bowls tournaments and the cricket won the discus throw and the averages for the year were:

TENNIS

Singles championship. — H. D. third victory, winning the 50 metres Rumjahn; Runner-up, A. R. Kitchell, dash-having already won the 200 Doubles Champlenship.—S. A. and 100 metres events. Rumjahn and U. A. Rumjahn; Runners-up, A. Rohmin and I. Kitchell. Ngan Shing-kwan, Persident of the Junior Singles.-I. Kitchell; Run-South China Athletic Association, ner-up, M. I. Razack. Handicap Singles.-U. A. Rumjahn; Runner-up, D. M. A. Razack. Handienp Doubles .- S. A. R. Bux and S. Yusuf: Runners-up, T. Ali and F. A. Curreem.

LAWN BOWLS

Singles Championship. — D. Khan; Runner-up, A. R. Minu. Pairs Championship. - A. Bakar 3, Industrial School (4). and S. M. Rumjohn; Runners-up, C. Shipp and D. M. Khan. Rinks Championship.—A. H. Rum- 3, St. Joseph's College (5). ahn, A. Makar, D. M. Khan and A. R. Minu; Runners-up, A. K. Suffind, Girls' College (49); 2, St. Paul's the Meeting. A. M. Rumjahn, S. M. Rumjahn and Girls' College (28); 3, Fong Nam M. R. Abbas.

Girls' College (14). CRICKET Girls' "B" grade,-1, True Light 1st XI,-Batting, M. P. Madar; Girls' College (30); 2, Sau Nam Girls' College (19); 3, Chee Hang Girls' Bowling, A. R. Minu; A. H. Madar. College (11).

Three close games were played. In the First Division, though they won on two rinks, the Indian Recreation Club went down by four shots to the Civil Docks R.C. bent the Police R.C. by two shots, and in the Third

Feature League's

CRAIGENGOWER sustained their greatest beating

years when they lost to the Club de Recreio "A" in the

largest-Kowloon Football Club totalled 84 shots against

Opening Programme

the Kowloon B.G.C. by five shots. Sixes were recorded by G. C. Moss (Kowloon C.C.), J. E. Noronha (Recreio "B"), C. G. Silva (Recreio Rowing Regatta "A"), A. R. Minu (Indian R.C.), L. A. Collyer (Civil Service C.C.), T. Carr (Kowloon C.C.), J. T. Smalley (Kowloon F.C.), B. D. Evans (Kowloon F.C.), and K. C. Hamilton (Kowloon B.G.C.). The results were:

FIRST DIVISION

Club de Recreio "A" bent Craigen-There were eight starters, the gower C.C. 78-44 at King's Park. others being Mioland, Sirveco, Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat the Kowloon C.C. 78-53 on the The first prize was U.S. \$60,000. former green. and the winner paid its backers

Indian R.C. 67-63 at Happy Valley. Reuter says Gallahadion won by F.C. 71-53 at King's Park. Kowloon Docks R.C. bent the Police 59-57 at Hunghom.

SECOND DIVISION. Taikoo R.C. beat Craigengower 72-54 at Happy Valley. The Kowloon B.G.C. beat Kowloon Tong 64-46 at Kowloon Tong. Kowloon C.C. bent the Civi Service C.C. 60-45 at King's Park.

THIRD DIVISION Results of the rugby matches play-84-57 at Chatham Road. Craigengower beat the Kowloon B.G.C. 56-51 at Kowloon.

Officers v. Hongkong F.C.

BROKEN

THE FINAL DAY of the All-Schools and Open

Athletic Meet at Caroline Hill on Saturday saw the

breaking of two women's China National records in the

50 metres and Throwing the Baseball. Miss Ip Kam-

the 50 metres, and Miss Ma Mok-kit threw the baseball

54.50 metress. The previous records were 6.8 seconds,

Girls' "A" grade -1, True Light ed only at the Race Course during

POSTPONED GAMES The following matches were post-Di Rochdale 14, Warrington 7; St. Helen's poned: 12, Oldham 5; Wigan 9, Swinton 2. Second Division .- Police v. Kowloon F.C.; Hongkong C.C. v. Club de Rugby Union .- Abernyon 17, Newport Third Division.—Hongkong Electric R.C. v. Hongkong C.C.; Prison Friendly,-1930 Australian Tourists 21:

Plea For "Wimbledon" THE Lawn Tennis Association has refused an application from Queen's Club to stage a women's "Wimbledon" this summer although most of the in fact, banned all open events.

L.T.A. Refuse Women's

women stars have supported the scheme enthusiastically. The L.T.A. has,

Led by Lord Aberdare, chairman of the National Fitness Committee, the Queen's Club officials were planning to hold their annual grass court open tournament not only to balance their books—a feat that can be managed only with the help of the profits—but to keep alive the interest in the game. They had been promised the assistance of the leading men players, most of whom are now serving in the Forces.

AUSTRALIAN RULES EXHIBITION NAVAL RESERVES

A SECOND EXHIBITION of Australian Rules, the famous Australian football game, was given by the Naval Reservists at the Police Football ground yesterday, and Service C.C., while the Kowloon | the game attracted a fair crowd of spectators. The match was between the two ships in the harbour.

The teams were even, and the score concluded 8-8 Division, Craigengower overcame to 7-8.

Lastgate Sculls

THE FINALS of the Royal Hong-The Civil Service C.C. beat the kong Yacht Club's rowing regatta were held at Deep Water Bay on field-similar to those in rugby-and Recreio "B" beat the Hongkong Saturday, and though the weather was rather against, interest was high of the game. and competition keen. The final of the Open Sculls brought a surprise. G.S.P. Heywood, former holder of encounter, was the heavier, if not the the Challenge Cup, was beaten over the half-mile by G. Easigate.

S. Thompson and Hopkins one each, way ahead of most of the others in Kowloon F.C. beat the Indian R.C. Grasset presented the prizes won during the season.

THE RESULTS

Following were the results:
International Pairs.—England (B. S. Carter, J. B. Colls and G. S. P. Heywood, cox) bent Australia (K. B. Nelson, G. L. Ensignte and A. G. Dalziel, cox).

International Fours.—Scotland (A. G. Dalziel, T. Swan, J. Moodle, J. McDouall and G. G. Stopani-Thompson, cox) beat England (B. S. Carter, F. Thompson, J. Potter, J. B. Colls and G. S. P. Heywood, Open Sculla.—G. L. Eastgate beat G. S. P. Heywood.

Club Fours.—I. Brewer's crew (N. J. Moodle, J. Olsen, G. J. P. Carey, H. Brewer and H. F. Hopkins, cox); 2, East gate's crew (K. Nelson, J. Eager, G. Padgett, G. Eastgate, and A. G. Dalziel, cox); 3, N. D. Booker's crew (J. Dunnett, L. Ongstad, W. Corneck and J. C. McDouall, Intity

The comparative smallness of the football ground was against the game, but though the opening minutes saw some ragged play, the players soon adapted themselves to the circumstances and the closing stages brought forth an excellent demonstration of the game.

The main feature of the game is the spectacular pass-kicking. High marking-when players leap high into the air to collect these pass-kicks --were more successful as the game proceeded. Tricky runs down the very fine punts were other highlights **HEAVIER TEAM**

THE WHITE TEAM, which won the faster, was stronger in its kicking and surer in high marking. Richard-During the day, G. S. P. Heywood son's long punts were outstanding coxed two winning boats and G. G. and Glendenning and Nicholson were After the Regatta a most enjoyable robust but elever play. Besler pulldinner dance was held at Repulse ed down some fine marks and Bay Hotel during which Mrs. A. E. Macfarlan gave a very neat, speedy exhibition. Oxworth kicked a couple. of good goals and Sullivan was also prominent.

> Teams were: Whites.-Crowle, McLaggan, Richardson, Sullivan, Ferrari, Loats, White, Glendenning, Spicer, Kerley, Besler, Johnson, Oxworth, Walker. Hogg. Nicholson, Vivian, Macfarlan, Davidson (19), Gravelly (20). Colours.—Andrews, Finch, Waters, McPherson, Edwards, Hailstones, Summers. Law, Hubbard, Evans, Howe, Dwyer, McLaren, Tredrea, Doyle, Hammond, Davidson, Atkin-

The game was efficiently umpired by Aley, who allowed plenty of intitude but never allowed the game to get beyond him.

Junior International Fours,-1, England
(N. J. and N. D. Booker, G. J. P. Carey,
H. E. Brewer and G. S. P. Heywood, cox);
Ziel, cox). Holland (stroked by Buls) was
2, Scotland (J Dunnett, A. Mack, C. third.

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

NOTICE TO MEMBERS

At the conclusion of the meet, Mr. FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING, GREEN ISLAND HANDICAP

2nd Day-Monday, 13th May In view of the number of Following were the final standings ontries received for the above, it has been decided to divide the Boys' "A" grade 1, Lam Nam race into three sections.

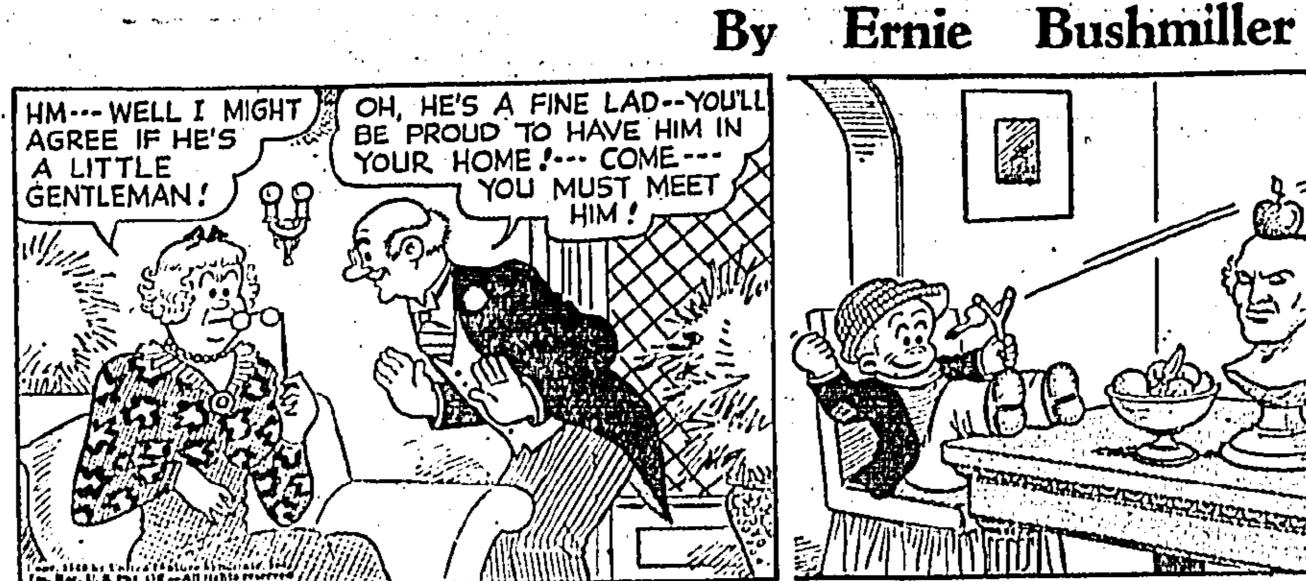
The third section will be race Boys' "B" grade.—1, Wah Yan Col- No. 11 and run at 6.30 p.m. lege (52); 2, Pul Ying College (26); A cash sweep, tickets \$1 A cash sweep, tickets \$5 each. will be held on this race but "All lego (39); 2, Lim Ying College (7); through" chances will not participate, and tickets can be purchas-

> By Order of the Stewards, C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

NANCY





WESTERN FRONT

Substantial German Attack Repulsed

PARIS May 5 (Reuter) .---There has been considerable activity on the Western Front during the past two or three

days. Further details are now given of a German attack in the Blies sector early on Friday morning. After the usual artillery preparations, some 300 Germans advanced on the Front about a mile wide against 'a small number of French outposts which were hidden in a wood.

They were caught in heavy artiltery cross fire and retired in disorder without making any contact with out-

Heavy Nazi Losses

French patrols were sent out later to examine the ground. They brought back a quantity of arms and equipment but found that the Germans had taken all their dead and

wounded back with them. The German losses are believed to have been heavy although the French

Saar region was beaten off by artillery and muchine gun fire.

Polish Troops Reviewed · PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).-Someterday, General Sikorski reviewed the biggest parade yet held of Polish

For two hours he watched hundreds enemy of Poland and of mankind."

Outposts Attacked

official communique issued to-day Why does the German High Comstates that last night the enemy mand sink battleship after battle- the last event of the day, the attacked three of our outposts with ship on paper and not in fact?

strong forces. of the Saar. The enemy were sup- and-run raids, and suggests that this ported by heavy artillery.

Although surrounded, the outposts sidence in himself and his machine. resisted victoriously until our counter attack, led by light units, drove the enemy away.

Spain Insists On Neutrality Memorandum Issued

By Consul ST. JEAN DE LUZ, May 5 (Reuter):-Spain's desire to maintain her neutrality in the present war is emphasised in a memorandum to the Spanish Consul here.

The memorandum, which comes from the Spanish Ministry of the Interior, refers to "the absurdity" of recent rumours that German war planes which had been flying over the south western district of France had set out from Spain.

"It is in the vital interests of our to destroy the harmony of Franco-Spanish relations—all the more so Yugo-Slavia is reported to have re-Government to frustrate the efforts. since imperative reasons, due to our fused to allow 2,000 German "tourgeographical position, oblige us to ists" to spend the summer within the set aside everything that might en- country. danger the true and sincere sentiments of neutrality," continued the memorandum.

Hunter Men Interned

Nazis Hand Over Ratings Literature To Swede Authorities

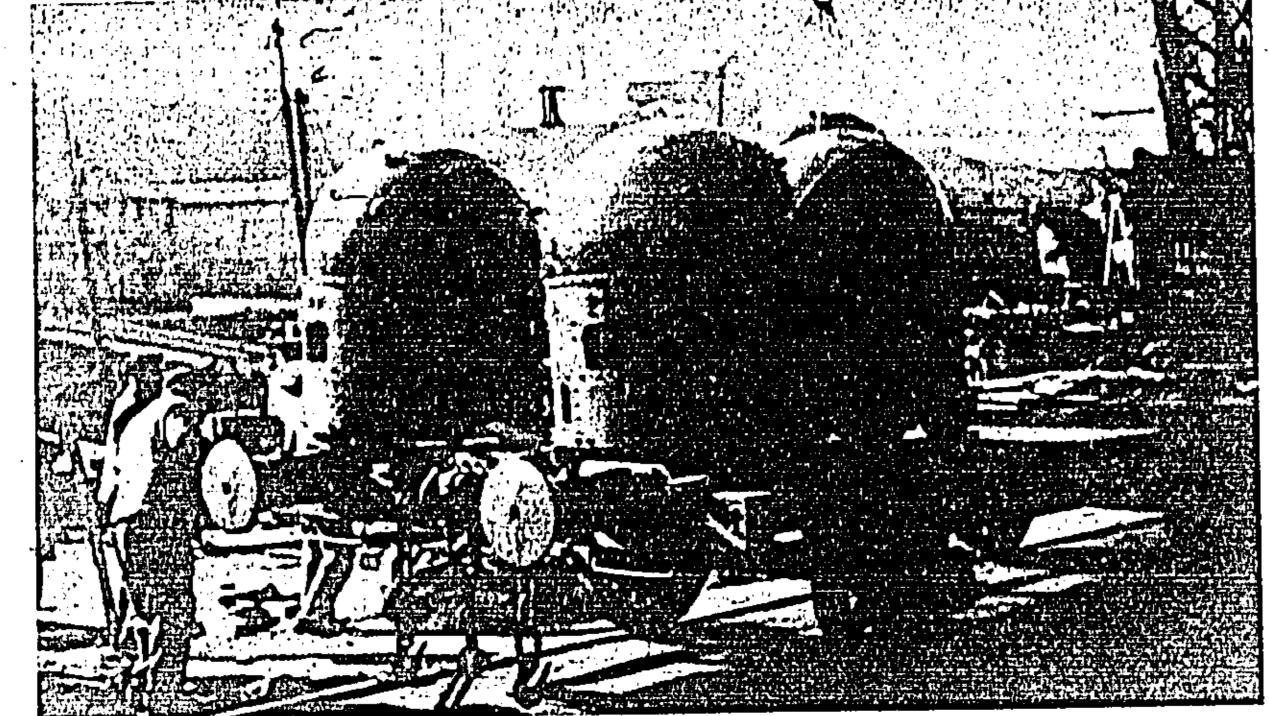
STOCKHOLM, May 5 (Reuter).—Forty-three ratings of the destroyer Hunter have reached Nazis Order 3,000,000 cannot get local air superiority Gummarn, near Lycksele in North Sweden, where they have been interned.

put them out of Norway owing to have ordered the destruction of food shortage, it is likely that their large number of books by Czech internment will be lifted and the patriots, including the former Pre-British authorities will try to get sident, Dr. Eduard Benes, and books them sent home to England.

after by the villagers of Gummarn. It is estimated that 3,000,000 books troops and equipment from ships. their chief trouble being shortage of will have to be destroyed.

clothes. All of them are reported to the also reported that new from constant observation and bombing if There can be no doubt that the we must not lose sight of the essential transfer and the second transfer and transfer and the second transfer and the second transfer and transfer

Two officers of the Hunter are be- by old ones on Czech rallways owing fighters. lleved to be still held by the Germans to Germany's shortage of high quality



FRENCH mines en route from the factories for a position somewhere in the North Sea.— French Official Photograph.

Air Force?

where behind the Maginot Line yes- Only Feats Performed So Far On Paper

ing battlefield positions to fight the which goes on to discuss the || subject.

Why has it not been given the chance to perform some of the PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).—An marvellous feats claimed on paper? So far, the "Spectator" says, the The attack took place in the region Germans have been content with tipis because the Nazi pilot lacks con-____Sobering_Effect

> A serious offensive could be earried out by only a few picked squadrons. The fact that over 50 German planes have been brought down off the British coast at the cost of only one fighter must have

sobering effect. The Germans now know that it is wrong to assume that the bomber's best defence is speed. When faced by the eight machine-guns of Spitstre or Hurricane, the crew of a Heinkel bomber must long for the armaments of a Wellington.

"No" To Nazi **Tourists**

Yugo-Slavia Refuses To Take Any Chances

The Government is said to have told the German auhtorities that only women and children under 15 would be allowed to enter.

Residents of Belgrade have been warned against keeping inflammable materials in their homes. It has been suggested that people who are not obliged to remain in the city should

Pogrom

Books To Be Burnt

As the Germans are said to have authorities in the Czech Protectorate on Pan-Slavism, according to The men are being well-looked despatch from the Slovak frontier.

losses are described as being insignal losses are described as being insignal losses are described as being insignal Where Is Nazi MERRY MAKER PAYS Another raid on Friday night in the \$60.30 AT MACAO

ALTHOUGH the weather deterred a considerable number of people from travelling to Macao for the May LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .- Race Meeting yesterday, there was, nevertheless, a fair of Polish troops march past and later "Where is the German air crowd of punters present. Finishes were close, only in the issued an order in which he said: force?" asks the "Spectator." first and fourth events was there more than one length between first and second ponies.

Cash

Sweep

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RACE 1

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RACE 3 .

Unplaced (\$27.90 each).-139, 212.

RACE 4

RACE 5

Unplaced (\$10.70 each).-499, 343,

RACE 6

hundreds of miles across the sen.

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there. All the same, one could ap-

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342, 104.

Merry Maker returned the largest dividend of the Meet. when in the Consolation Stakes. pony paid \$60.30 for first.

KWAN CHAP STAKES.—One mile. KWAN CHAP STAKES.—One fine.

1 Fairy Ousel, 156, H. C. Pih.

2 Fairy Auk, 158, C. L. Gregory.

3 Meadow Eve, 150, H. S. Chang.
Won by four lengths; a length.

Time.—2.21.4.
Pari-Mutuel.—Winner \$11.60; Places,

WANCHAI STAKES.--One Mile.

1 Eagle, 152, H. S. Chang.
2 Iron Knight, 162, H. C. Pih.
3 Hogmanay, 162, S. W. Dung.
Won by three-quarters of a length;

Parl-mutuel,-Winner, \$31.60, Places, \$8.10, \$6.00, \$6.50. MA KOK HANDICAP, (First Section).-1 Radium Star, 168, C. L. Gregory.
2 Dow-Jones, 147, H. S. Chang.
3 Sunshine Susie, 158, S. L. Yuen. Won by a neck, a length.

Time.-1.01.4. Pari-mutilel.-Winner \$25.50. Places, NAM WAN HANDICAP.—Six furlongs.

1 Night View, 166, H. C. Pih.

2 Fel Ying, 145, H. S. Chang.

3 Dekko, 140, S. L. Yuen.
Won by two lengths; a length.

Time.—1.35A.
Pari-mutuel.—Winner, \$8.40. Places, \$9.90.
MA KOK HANDICAP (Second Section). -Half-mile. 1 King's Envoy, 150, S. L. Sung.
2 New Bedford, 162, F. A. Sequeira.
3 National Anthem, 160, W. E. Grieve.
Won by a short head; three-quarters of

Parl-mutuel.-Winner \$27,70. Pinces. \$14.20, \$6.80, \$32.80. CONBOLATION STAKES.—Half-mile. 1 Merry Maker, 145, J. Nolasco.
2 Hogmanay, 147, W. N. Yeh.
3 Fairy Auk, 185, W. E. Grieve.
Won by half a length; half a length. Time,-1.05.2. Partemuticel.-Winner \$60.30. Places,

Why Norway Expedition Failed

Allied Task Impossible Without Air Bases

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .- ing them with their equipment on an The experience of the Allied air improvised runway on a frozen take force in Norway has pointed to under the very nose of the enemy. one clear conclusion—that you when you have to operate from distant bases against a formid- in which our fighters did get into speech to-day. PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).—German able enemy with aerodromes on It has not been possible for the Allies upon which the quarrels of other the scene of action.

This was the comment made by a give more support to the movements B.B.C; air observer. You must have strength in the air ! for a successful land operation, es- land forces are now out of central the defence of their homes." pecially if you have to disembark Norway, the Germans have long lines Inland, your infantry is subject to tack.

That has been the problem in Nor- of the planes.

with this matter.

the Allied blockade.

Needs Experts Herself

German machinery too is needed at home and the recent Leipzig Fair

help to Russia's railways, for the Reich has its own problems, especially

Confer

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .-French and British Labour leaders conferred in London on Saturday and Sunday on the B8676 Castanet. problems involved in co-operation

of the conference denounced the

Europe's Only Hope The statement continued: "Europe will regain security and peace only when it rids itself of the dictatorship of force. When pence is thus re gained by victory of the Allied democracies, it can be guaranteed only by strong international institutions which will assure independence and rights of all peoples, and thus make possible the disarmament of all States." The French delegates included M. Unplaced (\$12.90 each).—138, 109, Leon Blum, the former Premier.

The British delegates included Mr. C. R. Attlee, Mr. Arthur Greenwood and Mr. Herbert Morrison.

Friendship

sident Roosevelt has sent a telegram their work with fighters and bombers existing between the people of the

United States and Poland." President Racziewicz, replying, Our fighters are designed primarily said that he was deeply touched to for home defence and not intended to receive President Roosevelt's wishes, operate at that distance, while our adding that he "attached the greatest bombers are opposed by fighters value to the long-standing friendship operating at short range from bases uniting the Polish people to the people of the United States."

BATTLEFIELD

action was a remarkable achievement.

to gain superior air strength and to people can be settled," he said. "Her territory is a collection of fortified lines occupied by an army

Must Not Be Nazi Dupo of communications still open to atrails are being removed and replaced you cannot keep the enemy away by R.A.F. has proved once again, in its that unity of the conflict and not be rolds in the Norwegian campaign, the a dupe to the German tactics to daring of the pilots and the efficiency isolate the adversaries and then at-

FOR NAZIS

Insufficient To Be Of Great Benefit

LONDON, May 5 (Reuter) .--The question on many lips to-day is how much economic help can Russia give Germany. An article in the "Economist" deals

The paper points out that the whole of Russia exports less than 20 per cent. of Germany's normal needs, so that if Russia sent everything to Germany, this would still be less than one-fifth of Germany's requirements. It could only make up a small part of the trade Germany has lost through

With regard to German help to Russia, the paper says that a great many German technical experts used to work in Russia, but to-day Germany needs experts for home production and cannot spare large

showed foreign buyers that little is being produced in Germany to-day except armaments. Germany cannot give badly-needed

Labour Chiefs

Seek Anglo-French . Co-operation .

between their two countries.

The statement issued at the close

U.S.-Polish

Re-Emphasised By Roosevelt PARIS, May 5 (Reuter).-Pre-

to the Polish President on the occasion of the Polish national festival, Unplaced (\$28.60 each).-164, 311. says the Polish telegraph agency. The cable says: "Please accept my sincerest wishes for the continuway. The R.A.F. had to carry out since of the traditional friendship for from their home base some

BRUSSELS, May 5 (Reuter).-The Belgium determination to maintain its neutrality and independence was Under the circumstances, the way emphasised again by M. Picriot in a

"Belgium is no longer a battlefield At the same time, although our which is ready to do everything for

> LONDON, May 5 (Reuter).—The Belgian "Peuple" says: "Above all tack one after the other."

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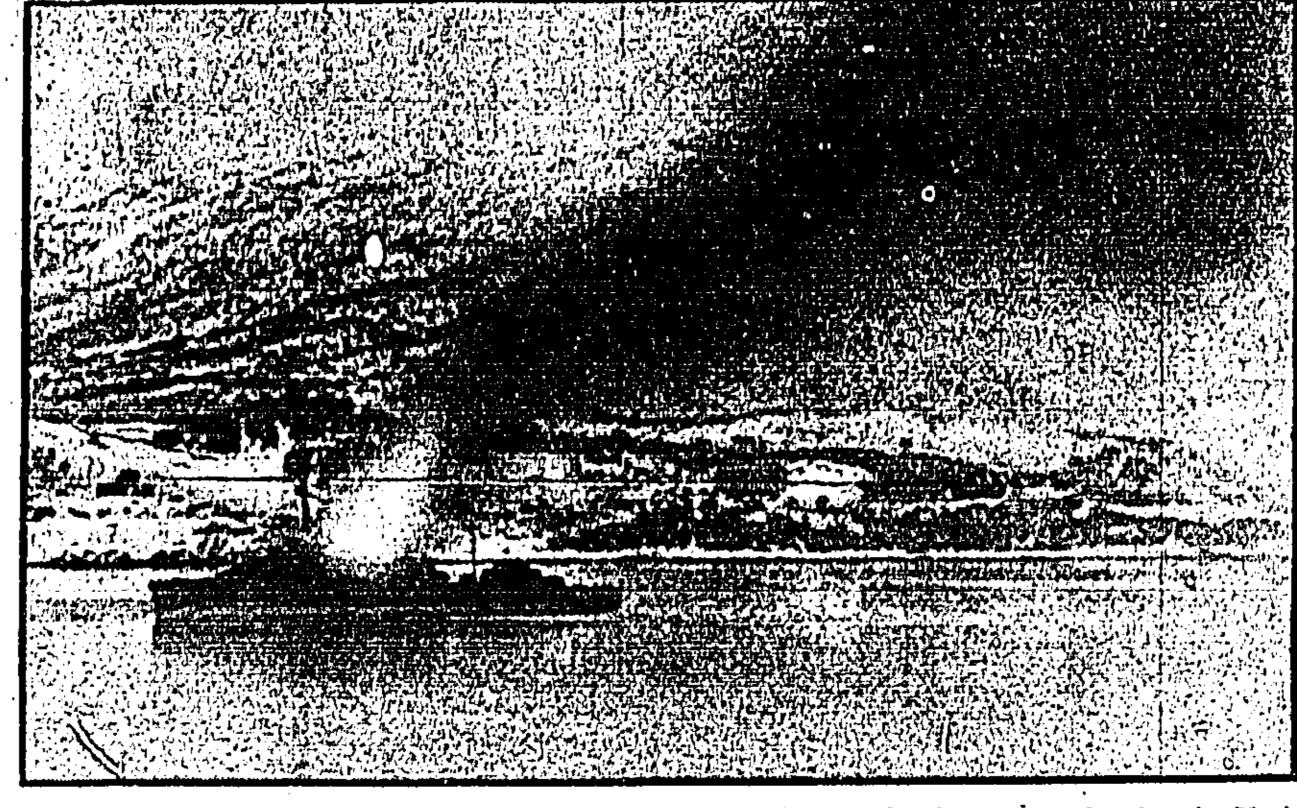
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BRITISH NAVY IN ACTION AT NARVIK



When the British navy went into action at Narvik it prov d to be a sorry day for the Nazi Fleet. Seven destroyers were sunk within a few hours, and here we see one of them on fire near the harbour whither it had been driven after action with the British naval units. This picture was received from London by air mail this morning.

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BRITISH TROOPS Coming And KEEP WATCH

FROM PAGE ONE

waters in an attempt to block the Passengers For Manila cscape shortly after dawn to-day. passage. Against all such pos-

sibilities elaborate precautions have

been taken. Vessels Escorted

Even for a danger that can never Hongkong, was a passenger aboard be more than a fantasy the military an American liner when she sailed dressed in hospital uniform. authorities are prepared: the danger on Saturday to complete her voyage of a neutral country suddenly declar- from San Francisco to Manila. He ing war while one of its troopships will remain with the ship, going on was passing down the canal. from here to the States on leave. was passing down the canal.

Even now any neutral ship of Mr. W. F. Arndt will have charge of which the authorities may feel sus- the office in his absence. picious is escorted through the canal Others who sailed were.—Mr. and in so elaborate a manner as to pre- Mrs. A. Bustamante, Mrs. D. Cooke and son, Mr. B. Despabiladerns, Mr. Martin Dino, Mr. and Mrs. E. Dowvent any mischief.

Armed Guard Just before the end of the Finnish Miss D. R. Ezekiel, Mr. H. B.

War, when everyone was jittery, a Hawkins, Miss M. Laya, Mr. and Russian ship filled with concrete Mrs. O. Lagman, Miss P. Ledesma, passed from the north through the and children, Miss R. Loesin, Mrs. canal. Just beyond Suez it was re- A. B. Marcaida and daughters, Mr. called by the Soviet Government. F. Puigjaner, Mr. Luls A. Pujatte, Just in case, it was escorted back Mrs. I. C. Ritchie, Mr. P. Tan, Misses to the Mediterranean,

o the Mediterranean. C., and M. Tan, Mr. and Mrs. S. An armed British guard of some Uson, Mrs. C. Vincent, Mr. E. Robert strength was on the bridge and a de Vos. Miss F. Yaptinchay, Mrs. R British bombing plane flew above it P. de Yuseco and children, and Mr. the whole length of the canal. On T. Carmona. the road at the side military carriers kept pace with it, their Bren guns trained on its bridge.

form this ceaseless guard duty live on her maiden voyage to go to excluded from the wharves as a relives every bit as hard as that which Manila on Saturday. They included, suit of the decision. the B.E.F. in France has endured -Mr. G. H. Wilkinson, Miss N. J. Police precautions were taken this since last September.

With the exception of those daughter, Mrs. A. S. Delgalo, Mr. and there might be a breach of the peace stationed in this town, where they Mrs. E. Combs, Mr. N. B. Buoyles, in Canton Sa are wonderfully looked after, the Mr. and Mrs. B. Foust, and Mr. K. congregated. canal guards are without many Kawamura.

The "Telegated Company of the Canton Sa congregated Co amenities that can make their lonely Messrs. Y. Yazima, Y. Tamara, M. the casual workers are threatening lives tolerable. They need wireless Takasaki, and E. de Chaffoy booked to call a strike unless arrangements

Plan To Decoy · EYE-WITNESS Rich Woman

Police Frustrate **Bold Crime**

some land. There, the other two Norwegian ships and cold-bloodedly men were to appear and rob the murdered hundreds of Norwegian

Kowloon detectives recently round- tainous and trackless forests, ed up three men who were alleged to have conspired together to rob a wealthy Chinese woman who was to be decoyed from Hongkong to Kowloon and there set upon.

tracy this morning charged with con- "They have faid our towns and spiracy to-rob and were each sen-villages in ashes," he said, tenced to six months' hard labour.

Det. - Sergeant Fraser prosecuted morandum at the beginning of the and said that Leung Tsat-mun was invasion clearly showed that Gerthe prime-mover in the matter, hav- many intended to force Norway into ing said he would attempt to take war against the Allies, a wealthy woman he knew from "Germany talked about saving Hongkong to Kowloon to look at Norway from war. But she sank

woman's lewellery.

TELLS OF ENTRY FROM PAGE ONE

On Maiden Voyage

or sledge over particularly moun-

Huns And Vandals SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, May 6 (UP).—In a broadcast in Norwegian, through the The men, Leung Tsat-man, 29, B.B.C. to-day, M. Koht, the Norwegi- the Labour Officer, Mr. Haw Leung Fat, 41, and Li Hok-ming, 28, an Foreign Minister, likened the Nazi afternoon for a conference, appeared on remand before Mr. invasion to the depredations of the Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magis- Huns and Vanda.

Japanese hostilities on the border 18 months ago succeeded in effecting his

ESCAPE OF

A Chinese soldler who has been

interned in Hongkong since the Sino-

The soldier, who complained of feeling ill two days ago, was removed to the Laichikek Hospital. He escaped at 6.30 a.m. When lost seen, the man was

"OUT OF BOUNDS" REGULATIONS CAUSE TRUUBLE

TROUBLE is brewing on the Hongkong waterfront as a result of Government's decision to declare the Kowloon wharves and godowns a prohibited area under the Emergency Regulations.

A large number of casual coolle A number of people took advan- workers, variously estimated at be-The many British troops who per- tage of the visit of a Japanese liner tween 1,500 and 2,250, havae been

Kaluag, Mrs. P. G. Canane and morning in view of the fact that Mrs. E. Combs, Mr. N. B. Buoyles, in Canton Street, where the coolies

The "Telegraph" understands that lives tolerable. They need wireless from here for the round trip to are made whereby they can obtain access to the wharves in order to find

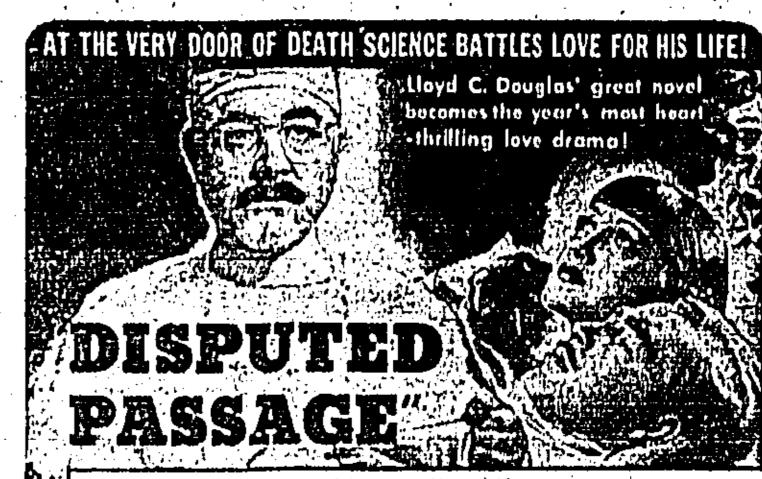
employment. It is stated that the crews of sampans and junks which normally act as transports between the gonowns and ships in mid-harbour have declded, for the time being, not to continue operations, pending clarification

of the situation · It is stated that there is no question of the permanent wharf labourers being affected at re-No chips were alongside the wharves this afternoon, and the company's officials state that they anticipate no trouble from their permanent employees when ships berth to-morrow. A deputation, representing the

new casual wharf-labourers, visited

the Labour Officer, Mr. Hawkins, this

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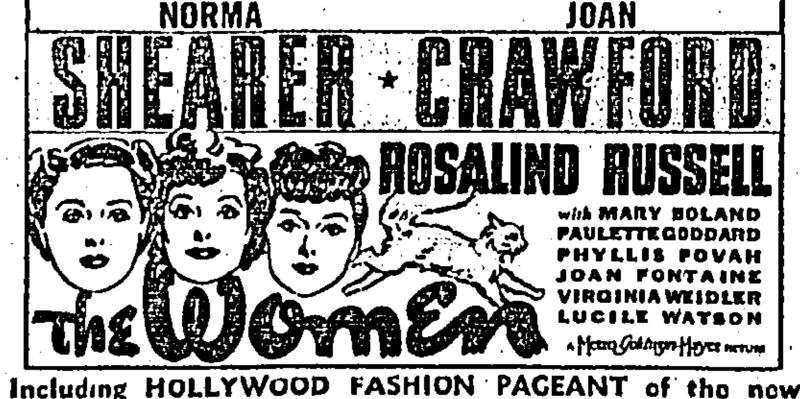
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